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All exports from the Ruhr to unoccupied Garmany

are forbidden except fats, cereals and manures. All

other merchandise is subject to a ten per cent ad

valorem tax. The prohibition of exports was enforced

just in time to hold up four locomotives consigned to

Russia from Krupps. The staffs of the Kaiserhof and

Handelshof-hotels at Essen were summarily dismissed

GERMAN MINISTERS WARNED OFF.

the Franco-Belgian prohibition against German

ministers entering the Ruhr flatly declares that the

Central and State Governments must refuse to accept

any directions from foreign governments regarding the

NETHERLANDS NOT/INTERESTED.

by 56 votes to 26 a motion refusing permission to the

Socialist Troeletra to question the Government on the

subject of the Ruhr occupation, the President pointing

out that the interests of the Netherlands were no

TOWN FINED HUNDRED MILLION MARKS.

German policeman who held up a motorcar a

attack and a fine of hundred-million marks imposed on

ENTENTE DANGER!

BOMAB LAW ON SITUATION.

the throne, Boner Law said he did not know whether

is would be possible for the British troops to remain in

Cologne. The French or German Governments could

make it impossible. That would be a great mislortune

and would mean the end of the entente. He still hoped

something would happen to enable Britain to intervene

PREMIER PESSIMISTIC.

insecurity lay behind the French measures. Both

people and statesmen wanted reparations but felt they

would not like to see Germany strong enough to pay

them. Events hid turned out exactly as he feared.

namely, that France had got nothing from the Ruhr and

had spent much therein, while by cutting the jugular vein of German industry she had done greater harm to

prospects in front of us. France, committed to this

It would be a great pity to see the entente brought to an end for that was what would happen if the troope

were removed. Although the hoped something would

happen to facilitate British intervention he saw no

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in a state of political and economic chaos. After im

possible reparations and impossible sanctions the Ailies

success of any reasonable effort to obtain from Germany

Mr. Ramsay Maodonald declared that Europe was

DANGER COMING LATER

Now, whatever happens I cannot see bright

Gormany than she was suffering herself.

policy, is bound to see it through."

ground for it.

The Premier said he was convinced that the fear of

During the Commons debate on the Address from

Gelsenkirchen has died of wounds.

A message from Mayenne says that an intoxicated

Sanctions have been taken against the authors of the

The Second Chamber of the State General adopted

A German note to Paris and Brussels replying to

COLOGNE, February 13.

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THE KING'S SPEECH

RUHE AND THE TURES.

London, February 18. English correspondents on the Ruhr describe the The King's speech at the opening of Parliament, air as electrical. Both sides are feeling the strain. The preferring to the Ruhr, says that the Government, while French are nervous and the Germans are very bitter, feeling unable to concur or participate in the operation, French patrol with bayonets fixed cleared a crowd is acting in such a way as will not add to the difficulties at Essen on Sunday night when two shots were fired, of the Allies.

It greatly regrets that, despite the conciliatoriness of the Allies they immense concessions they were pre-After evacuating the guests of the Kaiserhof and pared to make to the Turkish delegation at Lausanne were Handelshof hotels yesterday the French dispersed a declined when the Treaty was on the verge of signature. crowd outside, soldiers advancing with fixed bayonets It hopes that the Turkish Government, when it had and officers using riding whips. A machine gun had to be received a full report of the proceedings, may still be disintelled to complete clearance. Small labels are appearing posed to accept the Treaty and that the opportunity so on walls and shop windows everywhere in the Ruhr ex earnestly and laboriously prepared of rebuilding the horting the population to obey only the German Govern- peace of the East and the stability of the future Turkish ment. The Germans admit the impossibility of state may not be sacrificed.

It welcomes the prospective settlement of the British war debt to the United States, reflecting the determination of the British to meet their obligations.

Ministers must continuously give attention to the serious unemployment. The recent increase of oversea trade gives ground for confidence and future hopes that the improvement will be continued. It particularly anticipates a greater development of inter-Imperial trade in co-operation with the Government of the

AMERICAS PETROLEUM INDUSTRY.

BRITISH AND DUTCH COMPETITION.

WASHINGTON, February 13.

The Federal Trade Commission report on foreign ownership in the petroleum industry in the United Bhiles finds that Royal Dute's Shell group owns 240,000 are of oil lands in the United States, produces 31 per cent, of the total output, of crude pstroleum and is one of the largest companies in the domestic petroleum

The report says that the British and Dutch Governments discriminate against American citizens by exclusive policies in the oil-fields of India and the Dutch Indies and mentions the rapid exhaustion of American crude petroleum.

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WHERE THE MONEY GOES.

2,400,000,000 FRANCS FOR FRENCH NAVY.

PARIS, February 13. Le Matin states that the Minister of Marine (M. Raiberti) is completing a havel programme providing for new construction for twenty years of seven hundred thousand tone including sixty-thousand tons each of submarines and sesplane carriers. No battleships will be constructed in the first eight years, only light craft including aix cruisers, 35 torpedoers and 34 submarines at a cost of 2,400 million france.

M.C.C. DRAW WITH SPRINGBOMS.

JOHARNESBURG, February, 13. Over night rain fell but the weather was fine and there were ton thousand present when, on a good wicket; neland made 376 for 6 and declared. Woolley scored 115 unfinished, this being his first century of the tour. He batted splendidly for 205 minutes, hitting a sixer and cleven fours. Menn made 59. South Africa made 247 for 4. Nourse who scored 63 has completed his two Mr. Bonar law expressed the opinion that danger will thousand runs in test crinket. Taylor contributed 101 come later. He concluded that while the British troops in sidelightful innings hitting a sixer and eleven fours in remain on the Rhine we are in touch with the situation. 219 minutes. The match was drawn.

AMERICA AND BUBBER

Washington, Febrary 18. It is stated at the White House that President Harding will soon recommend Congress to appropriate fords for a thorough enquiry into the world production had drifted into a policy of imperialism and ameration. of rubber, also experiments in its cultivation in United

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the outstanding characteristics: It needs not the deep classical training of the University to impress upon him the fact that his ancestry a long and glorious one. reverence toward the long line of designed. the departed displayed by his parents in the home life early arouses in him a realization of the fundamentals underlying ancestor-worship. In later life it becomes for him a perplaxing fact that foreigners are quite content to remain barbarians and do not try to emplate the great one of the Middle Kingdom. And yet the coolie is not above copying those fashions and points of Western conduct which appeal to his sense of the desirable or proper. Chiefly this plagiarism takes the form of clothing the two extremities in Western fashion. While retaining his own native garb, he will consider himself the last word in smartness if he can boast a new pair of boots and a foreign hat. A nestly mended and quite efficient pair of compound one evening behind the boots arouses no enthusiasm whatever lines, with the sound of they must be new, and the happiest distant firing as an accompaniment; one who had spent six months are wooderful things. I have not Cry, Ltd., 18th annual meeting, pay on hats and caps, purchased seen an acroplane in China. No. Dolwell and Co. s offices, 11.30 a.m. as opportunity offered when we cannot see what you hit when you betruary 20.-86th Annual meet-

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After breaking open the doors with a jemmy in a clumsy manner, so as not to arouse the suspicions of police valuable household furniture and surveying the room from the street, curios belonging to the estate of the they put in its place an exact replica late Mr. R. A. Gubbay, at "Ulbenk," in cardboard, carefully and cleverly No. 2 May Road, 2.45 p.m.

One of the sides of the real safe was wrenched out, apparently with a jemmy, for no expert crackemen's were in evidence. £100 were stolen. robbers were not heard. They were not huntied apparently, for they had helped themselves liberally to stout,

being left. Few cluss have been left, the theft obviously being thoughtfully and ingeniously planned.

nd proudest coolie I ever met was "These guns and scroplanes Rebruary 15.-Union Waterboat

wide-brimmed and complete with like to know about them. flowing plumes! In this he sees nothing !! No. !! said another; don't Bhanghai Banking Corporation, incongruous !... he is a ... Chinese, you see, these loreigners have to work ordinary yearly meeting. City Hall, and he folly realizes that his fellows with the devil to make wonders like noon. are all over the world, and to his that, and pobody lives long with the of Chinese can do no devils. Because we appeare the wrong. One has mercy to apoution devils with pur coremonies and pre- learning Regimeers smother race in comparison with the sents we are much bappier than other | Guild, monthly meeting, Guild Office, Chinese to find the fires of Listianit people. I'm glad I'm a Chinaman. 5 p.m. pride still burning benealt the placed . The multor continues his study of exterior. As an interesung sidelight the gools under various hesdings. on the cooling appropriation of the aud gives in the course of his party Conversion which too place in free some sperson.

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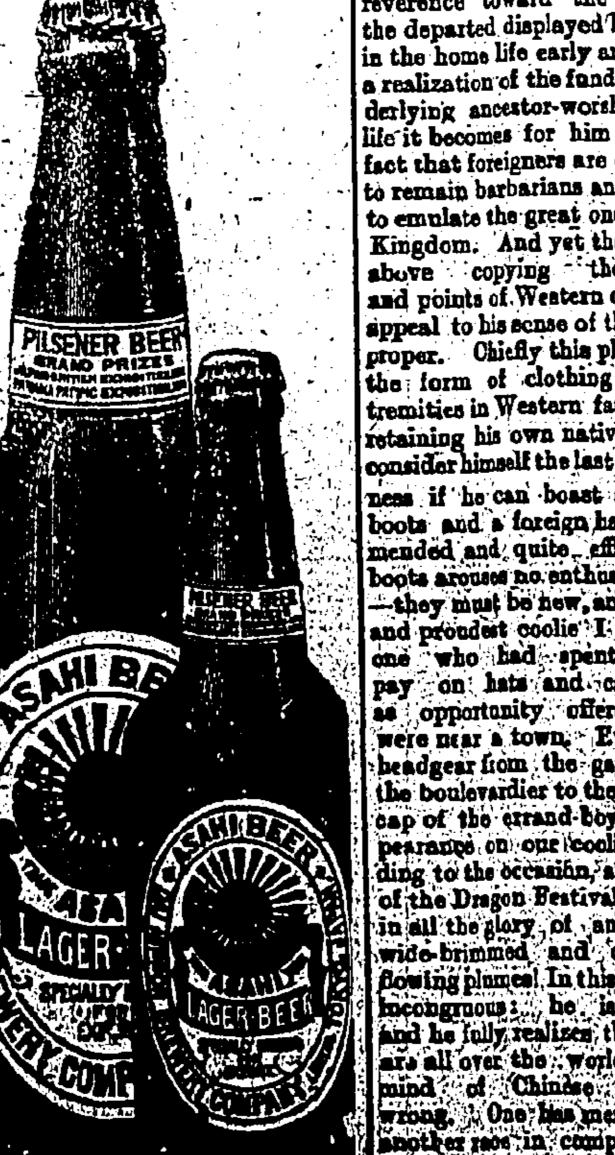
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HONGKONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

INTERPORT GAME.

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WEDNESDAY, 14th February. For full particulars see notice on Club notice board.

The Scratch Regatta advertised for the 25th February, has been .abandoned.

A/Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 13, 1923.

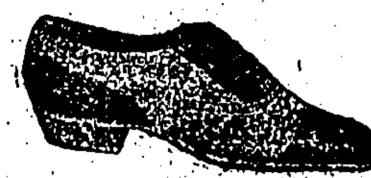
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE EIGHTRENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Share holders will be held at the Offices of Mesers. DODWELL & COMPANY, LIMITED on THURSDAY, the 10th February, 1923, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose o receiving the report of the General Managers together with a statement of accounts to 31st December, 1922. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

Company will be closed from the 8th to 15th February 1923, both dates DODWELL & COMPANY, LIMITED

General Managers. Hongkong, February 5, 1923.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY SIX ORDINARY AN-HOLDERS will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on TUESDAY, February 20th, 1923, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended December 31st, 1922. The TRANSPER BOOKS of the Company will be GLOSED from Thursday, February 8th, 1923 to Tuesday, February 20th, 1923, EOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE.

By Order of the Board of Directors. W. S. BROWN.

Secretary. Hongkong, February 2, 1923.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LIMITED.

MHE THIRTY-FOURTH OR-L DINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHARBHOLDERS in the Company will be hold at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Buildings, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY; the 23rd day of February, 1928, at 11 o'clock in the forencon for the puropse of receiving a Statement of Account and Report of the Directors

for the year ending 31st December, 1922, and declaring a dividend.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from Wednesday the 14th February, 1923, until Friday the 23rd February, 1923, both

By order of the Board of Directors SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. Goueral Managers. Hongkong, February 9, 1923.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 24th February 1923, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a statement of accounts, for the year ending 31st December, 1922.

The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be closed from Monday 12th February to Saturday 24th February 1923 (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By order of The Court of Directors, , A. G. STEPHEN. Chief Manager.

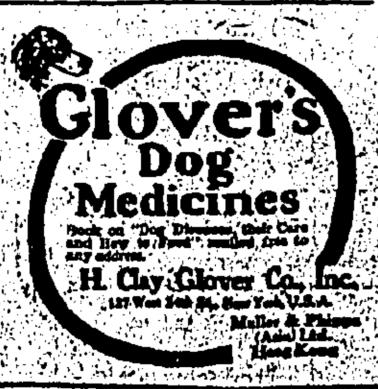
Hongkong, February 5, 1923.

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THE THIRTY NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above COM-PANY will be held at Sr. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, on TUESDAY, the 27th February 1923, at 11 o'clock am. for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1922, and electing a Consulting Committee

and Auditors. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from SATURDAY the 17th February, 1922, until TUESDAY, 27th February, 1923, both days in-

clusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, February 8, 1923.



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is proposed to entertain the membera of the Shanghai Interport Team to dinner at the Hougkong Hotel on WEDNESDAY, 21st February, at 8 p.m. All members are invited to be present. Cost of dinner \$3. per head (exclusive of wines, &c.) Members unable to attend but wh

wish to subscribe are requested advise the Secretaries accordingly. Members who intend being present should place their names on the lists provided at the Secretaries Office Hongkong Club, Happy Valley Club house, Deep Water Bay Clubhouse, and Fanling Club house.

Lists will be withdrawn on Monday 9th February. BY ORDER.

Hengkong, February 10, 1923.

· SHANGHAI—HONGKONG INTERPORT GOLP MATCH.

IT is proposed to entertain the members of the Shanghai Interport team to dinner at the Hongkong Hotel and WEDNESDAY, 21st February, at Apply Box No. 1416, c/o "China-8 p.m. All members are invited to be present. Cost of dinner \$3.- per head

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provided at the Secretaries Office, Hongkong Club, Happy Valley club house, Deep Water Bay Clubhouse, and Fanling Clubhouse. List will be withdrawn on Monday 19th February.

By Order. PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING Secretaries and Treasurers. · longkong, February 12, 1923.



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We men are the Mutts of creation. Would a woman, be taken in if a fellow improved himself with a false nose to win her love ?

Not she! She would tear it off, and say if he could deceive her like that before they were married what on earth would be do after? Yet every day men mob registrars and vergers in the rush, to marry women with reach-me-down eyclashes, false hair, eyebrows taken off a card, and faces made in Bond-street.

The cynical noises I made when I went round the Hairdressers' and Allied Trades Exhibition at the Horticultural Hall, Westminster, recently were mistaken for appreciation, and they let me into all the secrets (writes H.V.M. in the London Daily Ex-

They decorate girls so well these read the court ine erect out seen of standing a fiances out in the rain all night to see how much washes off is

no longer reliable. All the same, if must be terrible to be a woman, bent on beauty, and, I think, after a thoughtful examination of lotions, pastes, paint, glue, iron tongs, electric gadgets, and permanent hair wavers, that women deserve every bit of beauty they get. The race to beat Helen of Troy's record is the most stranuous in the world.

When we men get bald and distinguished looking we have our photographs taken, but at the first warning buzz of the questing fly a poor woman has to sit under a sort of electric meny-go-round while they bring back the wave and jolly up the corpuscies.

In extreme cases she buys a transformer, and I think all men about to be married should be warned about these. They are more than a toupe and less than a wig, and can only be detected from real hair by a fum pull. Woman, wonderful, indomitable woman, bears all these horrors without a murmur. She glides into the ballroom flickering her ten-guinea eyelsshes at us, and our hearts' beat. We stroke her lovely auburn tresses as we whisper softly into her expensive transformer that we will be good and true for ever and ever. . . Isn't it terrible !

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FETTERLY .- Qo February 13th. at French Convent Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Fetterly, a son.

-MARRIAGE.

MORTON .- DEE .- On February 9, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Norton, of High Royd, Honley, -Yorke, to Joanna, daughter of the late David, and of Mrs. Dee, of Bansha, Tipperary.

China Mail. The

TRUTH. JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE

Horgkong, Wednesday, Feb. 14, 1923

HOW BOON NOW!

Europe's outlook grows blacker every day. Confirming the worst predictions, latest news from the Ruhr is weighted with evil lorebod-.. inge. English correspondents describe -the a mosphere as electrical, with · both sides feeling the strain. the French nervous and the Germans -bitter. Already "incidents" bave cccurred, and any moment might see bigger clash which will fan -Germany's smouldering sullenness nto flame, Indeed, matters have become so critical that the British Premier finds himself unable to say whether it will be possible for the British troops to remain at Cologne. Mr. Bonar Law appears to think that entente has not yet been irrevocably ended, but this does not prevent him saying what France's aggressive policy has long madeclearconquest, not reparations, inspired the Ruhr invasion. In Mr. Boner Law's cautious words, "fear of insecurity i lay behind the measures' -- fear which will seemingly never be satisfied until France secures the Rhine, her "only patural frontier."

Mr. Bonar Law's state ment implies that France might have been labouring under the down the reins as agent in Singapore through the Suez Capal. The ording deusion that the Rohr invasion would yield the overdue reparations money Events have turned out ax-

has got nothing from the Ruhr and has epent much therein, while by cutting the jugular vein of German industry she has done greater harm to Germany than she was suffering herealf." Mr. Boner Law apparently forgets that M. Poincare himself warned France when the coveted 1923, at Shanghai, William John, Ruhr was first invaded that the costs would be heavy and the returns "comparatively small." M. Poincare did not trouble to explain the real object of the move. That was obvious

Whatever happens now, Mr. Bonar Law cannot see any hope. "Committed to this policy, France is bound to go through with it." At the best that means the present political and economic chaos Mr. Ramsay Macdonald deplored in the House of Commons crippling Europe indefinitely; at the worst Germany's sullen resistance inciting the French to further oppresthis second alternative is the danger Mr. Bonar Law sees coming later, But not so very much later, one fears with passions already running high, "the French nervous and the Germans bitter." When the moment arrives it will find France faced with a Germany seething with anger, burning for revenge, and eager to enter a "war of liberation." That is the danger France provoked when she placed under her yoke millions cordially detesting her rule. .. That, moreover, is the danger which is fast coming nearer. Traly, Europe's outlook grows

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

blacker every day.

Captain R. B. Khare, J. M. is appointed to perform the duties of "Ophthalmological Specialist" to the troops in Hongkong, in addition to his own duties.

The following is an extract form London Gazette. dated 9th January: The King's Regiment -- Major N. B. C. B. Grounds retires on retired pay, 9th. January, 1923, and is graated the rank of Lieut. Colonel.

Sir John Peter, who bas just laid of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, after directing its local affairs since 1911, left last work for Australia so companied by Lady Peter. They are notly as I feared, namely that France thence proceeding Home res America. NEWS FROM WUCHOW.

FIGHTING AT SHIU HING. (From Our Own Correspondent.)

WUCHOW, Pabruary 12. Hongkong, was passing Spike Hill two river and proceeded.

The steemer " Tai Ming " returned to Hongkong this morning, it being considerd dangerous for her to proceed to Samehui.

Six shots were dropped, in the water yesterday alongside H.M.S. "Moorhen" but whether or not they were find at her it is impossible to

It is believed that the fighting now taking place is occurring between the Kwangiung and the Yunnanese troops. If this is so it is reasonable to suppose that the former have gone back to Sun Yat Ben.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

TO MORROW'S NEW BILL.

At to-morrow's meeting of the Legis-Irtive Council will be introduced a Bill intituled an ordinance to provide for the carrying on of the work formerly carried on by certain German societies and persons in the Colony of Hongkong, and to deal with certain property formerly held or administered by, or used in connection with the work-of, such societies and persons in the Colony of Hongkong, and to provide for the control of the persons by whom the said work is to be

carried on. The second readings of the Bills to amend the Medical Registration Ordinance and the maintenance Orden Ordinance will also proceeded with and the Council will resume, in committee, the discussion of the Mui Teai Bill.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Lady Leveson and the Misses Leveson came down from Shanghai on the M. M. s.s. "Angkor."

One Chinese case of small-pox and one British and two Chinese Cases of diphtheria were reported yesterday.

Farm Company will be open during the Chinese New Year holidays are advertised to-day.

The ladies' section of the Gol Club is holding the "Punch Bowl Competition" a March 6. The conditions are advertised.

Major S. B. Coates, 2/4th Bom. bay Grensdiers (K. E. O.), has been sions until open conflict results. And granted 60 days privilege leave, commencing March 26, for the purpose of proceeding to India.

> week ending January, 27, 1923, build to stand a blow. amounted to 95,510 tons and the Sales during the period to 74,797 tone.

Last night's game at the V.R.O., in the Billiards Championship of the Colony, resulted in a comfortable win clight long enough to light up. for Mr. R. F. Luz. His opponent, Mr. Ho Sou Ching, scored 453. Both breakfast. players made a break of 36.

he general managers, notify that the ing the material with which to re- so on. Chine light and Power Coy, will dis build. This time we will fix wire The Yun of the fair is maintained currency, by an Act of Parliament. continue the supply of electricity be stays to the roof, ship lashion. tween the hours of 9.30 a.m. and b p.m. on Briday, February 16, owing | Damage done (according to alterations at the generating newspapers over \$100,000.

The "Samaria," which is on which she was sitting cruise round the world with four hundred tourists under the anspices of Measts, Thos. Cook and Bon, and is due to reach has been so arranged that the tourist will be visiting four important countries, namely Egypt, India China and Japan at the best season of the year,

HONGKONG BUNGALOWS. (TOM WRIGHT STUFF.)

There was a "comic" song a few years ago—say nine or ten—iu which the gentleman offered to build for his beloved "a wooden At 9 p.m. on Monday while the bungalow in Bond Street." Some "Kochow," bound from Wuchow to folk would classify the song as "sentimental"; but I think the China New Year holidays. Restaurshots were fired over her. It was incongruity of a wooden bungalow ants and tea houses, tailors &c. are afterwards discovered that there were in that expensive thoroughfare is already closed.) Chinese newspapers, Criminal Sessions for forgery of \$1 by way of a warning. On approach sufficiently comic to warrant my have for a number of years stopped banknotes of the Kwangsi Bank; the fire was heard and two large conflagra of wooden bungalows in Hongkong publication about a week Attorney General (Hon. Mr. J. H. tions were seen in the West end of is regarded much as I see the Bond before New Year. The barbers, Kemp, K.o.) commenced his reply in the town. The ship was hailed by Street suggestion. Yet during the who used to work till late the afternoon. the town. The ship was hailed by housing shortage, you may rememdent on New Year's eve will not the points raised by Mr. Zeitlyn ber, some of us "fancied" the idea. be working on Thursday and Friday. were that the making of documents officer who came on board for a I did for one. They would answer This year's bazaar does not lose by purporting to be \$1 notes of the passage to Samshui informed . the the purpose (I thought); they would comparison with other years as re- Kwangsi Bank was not forgety in law, Captain that if he proceeded at look as pretty as I had seen them gards quantity but with the closing of that on the evidence the document residence of the late Mr. R. A. Gubbay, once down the river all would be look in Honolulu, in Auckland, Queen's Road to stalls, the bazzar were not valuable securities, and that exchange broker of Hongkong, was well but that it would be dangerous N.I., in Penning, Malaya, in Cali- appears scattered, one result being the documents were not valuable put up for sale by auction by Messra, to delay as a field battery was being fornia, and elsewhere; and finally, that the side-streets in the neighbour- securities within the meaning of the Lammert Bros at their sales rooms. placed on the hills opposite the I thought they would be much less bood are more congested. The Forgery Ordinance, 1922, Section 4, A large crowd including a number of town. After screens of firewood costly than the home-building job "antique" brass dealers have rented Sub section 24, had been built around the wheelhouse in Hongkong has usually been, the Mochow" turned down the But the officials, we understood, the first standard of the old Bire were against it. I talked with your river and proceeded.

Station which presents a curious Kemp pointed out that the definition reached \$77,000 when the property D.P.W. about it once. He denied sight, stocked full of braseware. From of a valuable security "includes any was knocked down to Mr. Carlos de tion; but he said the cost material was against it. That, the time being, shut me up. time very dear.

Here let me interrupt my narra- in strong numbers. tive a brief while for an egotistic suspect other men of the same. suspected that there really was an to the "god of the kitchen." From point. official objection to cheap wooden cottages, and I believed that official obstinacy was merely discovering excuses for itself. I am hard convince; but-let me plead this in self-defence—as soon as I am convinced -I never hesitate to admit that I was wrong. I hasten to confess it, and feel no false shame.

Well now. Whether there is or s not such an official objection, I am here making haste to admit that the case. would be justified. Lumber is blem. To my-tale.

On January 12 here the trade wind-fresheded. On the 13th-itwas a gale. All day on the 14th a tornado blew. Had I been Hongkong I would have called it typhoon. I am no judge of wind lacquer tray or visitors. force, but recalling my experience On the last three nights of the wind was as strong. It did the have a fair in the streets round about of purports to be made by or on besame kind of tricks that typhoons the Western Market. The tradition half or on account of a person who did do. For two nights we have had used to be that on these nights fine

no electric light. Lots of trees and bargains, remarkably cheap to the wires down. (Here they bring buyer, can be made, owing to the electric lights out to suburbs as Shaukiwan or Pokfulum, and five points in use every night cost about Twenty years ago very good articles, \$2 per month, say \$4 of your money.)

The cyclone lifted half our roof off: It slewed a neighbour's cottage round on its base, and it looks; though still standing, as if it will our chicken-house and carried it a lingers on. Still crowds of people distance upside down, dumping it perambulate those streets, hoping to The hours at which the Dairy eventually, in pancake form, profit, by the supposed necessity of weather bound, and have not been has almost completely changed it able to get out to inspect damage character. The second hand treasures in other parts. The street cars are no more in such evidence. Instead have not been running, so I expect | the streets are lined with stalls laden to see worse things when I leave with new stuff - manufactured-it my valley. . . . The wind, though would seem-specially for such squalls. I am huddled in a corner to get some genuine Chinese curio," to windward, while the cottage is some treasure of Chinese manual art rapidly disintegrating. I perceive that when a wind of typhoon force manages to bite off one piece of a

So, whatever it costs you, I now The total output of the Kailan admit that you had better stick to of Mining Administration's mines for the ferro-concrete, brick, or stone; and chrysanthenums in bloom. There

wooden bungalow, it easily eate the

15th, Later. now-a twisted heap of firewood gardeners. There is a fine show of The remains of a Chinese boy, 15 and furniture. I am under the lee those characteristic examples years of age, were removed to the of a wall built of blocks of lava, morenary yesterday. He was knock with my min coat anchored down To be particularly admired are the analogy of the document in question, Kemp said that the forging of a docued down and killed by the 8.12 train as a tent. I shall move to a hotel from Shenngshui at the 184 milestone, when I can get an 'express-man.' to collect my gear. The telephone isn't working. I am dying for a smoke. Cannot keep a match nobis. Apples and bananas

One Japanese lady killed by fall: ing tree. It fell on the car in

Don't Caush,

become diseased when it is such a simple have a much more significant name appreciated the point that while they guilty of lorgery set a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough for this began They call it Dorobo could be used to pay taxes they were. After Jurcher argument, the Court most such as a could be used to pay taxes they were. After Jurcher argument, the Court most such as a could be used to pay taxes they were. After Jurcher argument, the Court most such as a could be used to pay taxes they were. It is coclaim on both pulate.

CHINA NEW YEAR HOLIDAY CELEBRATIONS THIS YEAR.

The advent of the labour guilds has been responsible for several trades closing earlier than usual for the

that there was any official objectionight the bazaar will be open con- writings" of any of the classes of Carvelho of the Hongkong and Shang-

The usual stalls offering curios definition. It was not suggested that I from "Paddy's Market," goldfish, the Kwangei note was a banknote scertained that lumber was at that flowers, cheap manufactures, sweet- within the meaning of the Bank meats, and calendars are all present Charter Act or the Bills of Exchange

about three o'clock to-morrow after- Even supposing the Kwangsi Bank noon, there will be a continual fusilade | had cessed to exist, the Attorney. of crackers, to celebrate New Year's General said, it could not place the finances. Rve. Business houses will change the prisoners in a better position than red cloth draping their signboards they would be in if the Bank existand the lanterns in the shop- ed. In fact it made the forgery the front, after the crackers have been more dangerous. If it was a forgery registrar of shipping and collector of let off. This should not be recessarily to forge a note of a Bank which was customs in London, has died at construed as is sometimes done, as in existence, it surely must be equally Rudali Crescenty Hampstead Heath, an indication that a firm has paid all a forgery to forge a note in the name N.W. aged 82. its debts, although this is generally of a Bank which did not now exist,

much cheaper now than it was two sdopt Westen ideas can be seen in that if a note was forged in the name years ago; but I have just been con- Wellington Street which is studded of a Bank which had ceased to exist, vinced that wooden cottages are not with stalls printing New Year cards then for the purposes of the forgery the solution of your housing pro- similar to visiting cards. In recent years, the custom was to have the name brushed on to slips of red paper. Another feature is the use by the ciste mean invente. of foreign-style confectionery instead of Chinese sweets on the ootagonal

several typhoons, I declare this Chinese year, the old custom is to Chinese desire to settle all their accounts and start the new year square. especially second-hand, used to be exposed for sale in this way, and no doubt there is some foundation for the belief that their owners sometimes sold them for less than have to be rebuilt. It picked up they were worth. The tradition Casualties one. I am still (15th) the Chinese vendors. But the fair it has abated, still comes in vicious casions. The foreigner who goes to try will be effered factory stuff, certain ly no cheaper than it is worth The striking feature of the fair

truly wonderful show of plants. There are streets and avenues plants in pots. There are are orange trees in fruit, including some curious malformations due to My neighbour's cottage is down the misguided ignanuity of the artificially stunted trees and shrubs, said that he had been considering the. peonies. . The flowering shrub that is and had concluded it was a state note known as the Chinese "lucky flower" and not a banknote according to the is present in good supply.

For the rest the main impression is it-although inued by the Kwangu of millions of "Boston garters," tril- Bank. He had secured a number of lions of factory socks, and thousands | notes from the Banks. On the Singaof cloth caps cut on the model known pere and the Japanese banknotes as Whitechapel' 38. There is also a there was a promise to pay big show of the usual fair trumpery, on demand. Taking what Still alive. Storm over. Very paper-mash dolls for the little Chin commonly called a Bradbury. Messra Shewan Tomes and Co. busy rebuilding, or mither, collect sie, peacock feather ornaments and however, there was no promise to

> in classic ways, by the shouting of the However, he was doubtful if gold sellers, and a mixture of metallic could be obtained for a Bradbury. noises. It will be noisier to night I and i. Mr. Zeitlyn mid-he could clear that the really earnest bargain hunters point if he were allowed to quote a will hang back for to morrow night cars at bomedoring the War. A man when, in the last hour of the old year, -he regretted to say he was asolicitor. the desperate Chinese vendor is sup- -wbom he (Counsel) defended, had posed to accept anything you offer for obtained gold (which was then great his remaining wares. [IV sppreciated in value] in exchange

Readers in search of genuine for Bradburys, and he was convicted It is about to allow a cough to hang: " culios " and real bargains are ad | for telling the gold. Hongkong early in April will be on and sab your vitality when Cham, vised to wait till after the fair, and Resuming his address, Mr. Kemp the largest passenger vessel to pass harlain's Cough Romedy will cure you.

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FORCERY LAW

AN INTERESTING APPEAL.

THE CROWN'S REPLY,

After Mr. Eleley Zeitlyn had occupied the whole morning yesterday opening his appeal at the Full Court on behalf, of the two prisoners who were convicted by a jury at the

of tinually till midnight on Thursday. securities specified in the body of the hai Bank. Act. He merely described it in the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Occasional strings of crackers that indictment as a document which Animals, will be held in the City Hall

explanation. I confess that I am | could be heard in the Chinese section | purported to be a note of the Kwangsi | on Tuesday (March 6, at 9.30 p.m. For very pig-headed, very hard to con- yesterday and to day are part of the Bank. Any arguments directed to further particulan see advertisement. vince. Being stubborn like that, I "seeing the old year out" celebra- proving that it was not a banknote I tions that follow the thanksoffering were, therefore, entirely beside the

> although it once did. He would even Indications of the tendency to argue he thought quite soundlythe bank was a fictitious bank-it self. I am not prepared to say they was imaginary, a counterfeit. The word fictitions did not necessarily

Referring to the meaning of the word." document," the Attorney General quoted from the Ordinance as follows: "A document is false within the meaning of this Ordinance if not make it or authorise its making." In other words a document was capterm might be, if it either in express terms or in its purport held little out to be made by some person who did not make it.

Mr. Kemp submitted that the door ments in question were intended to be passed as currency, as it was stated on the back to be "for current use for payment of taxes." Currency implied, sconer or later. convertibility.

Proceeding to comment on the evidence at the trial, the Attorney General said that Mr. Banker's evidence showed not that the Kwangs Bank had ceased to exist but that the Bank did exist in another place.

Mr. Zeitlyn disagreed. His note of the evidence cartainly showed that the Bank had ceased to exist altogether. The Attorney-General said that if the Bank had closed its doors that did not mean to say that it had ceased to exist. Even if the Bank had ceased exist he still thought the conviction must be confirmed.

At this stage the hearing was adourned until this morning when Mr. the making of a cheque in a fictituous Kemp resumed his address.

TO-DAY'S ARGUMENT.

Immediately after the Court sat of this morning, Mr. Justice Compertz proclamation printed on the back of psy, but it was recognised as official

PEAK TRAMS.

STOPPAGE FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

The China Mail understands that in the rear future the Peak Trams will again stop running—this time for seven or eight days-in order that the msolinery may be overhauled.

"ULBANK" SOLD.

PORTUGUESE BUYER PAYS \$77,000.

"Ulbank," No. 2 May Road, the explange broker of Hongkong, was Chineso gentlemen was present.

A fancy dress ball in aid of the

Foreign traders or bankers have been forbidden the Amsterdam Stock Exchange, the object being to prevent Germans from dominating Dutch

Mr. James Fleming, formerly chief

The Chief Justice: They are certainly not notes, bills, warrants or orders in law, and speaking for myare valuable securities.--

Mr. Justice Compertz : The finding of the Jary implies that they have

Mr. Kemp submitted that that finding was good as three people could be defrauded by the documents -namely, the taker the Bank and the Kwangsi Government. The taker might be defrauded when he found himself in possession of a worthless piece of paper. The Government might be defrauded when able of forgery, however wide the it accepted what it could not redeem at the Bank. And the Bank might be defrauded when it inadvertently accepted the documents.

Mr. Justice Compettz: The point. as raised by the Assistant Attorney at the trial, is if they are not valuable securities, why are they mades

Mr. Zeitlyn: This shows prejudica on the matter.

The Judge: The jury decided on Mr. Kemp, proceeding, said that to

go a little further, he would submit that supposing the documents were even made in the name of a nonexistent bank, say the "Bank of Timbuctoo," if they purported to be securities for the payment of money they were forgeries.

The Chief Justice : That brings us back to the question of whether or not it is a valuable security. I would not go so far as to say if it purports to be a security for payment of money it is a valuable recurity. am with Mr. Zeitlyn on that point. Mr. Kemp: If that is held, then

name would not be a forgery, but we know that it is. Mr. Justice Competts: The point is if it is not a valuable security the first count must fail?-

Yes my Lord. ment might include any specific writing entitling the holder to some thing big or small. Then again, the forging of a wmpper or a label constitute forgery of a

Take a Hongkong Club chis for tone rossi beef, " for example, to which a through to the accounts. It would be impossible to forge it, because a blank chit does not entitle snyone to any specific article, but supposing chita are issued in books to members, entiting them. on presentation el one of the chits, to that particular plate of food, then any imitation of

the chit is a forgery. Mr. Zeitlyn, io his reply to this took for his example a Russian Romanoff currency note. He argued that if a person cherishing and nursing the belief that one day the late Czar Nicholas II would be reinstated, and with this idea in his mind, he proceed. ed to make Romanoff notes, to be

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

north west frontier fighting.

BRITISH FLYING OFFICERS RELEASED.

DERA ISMAIL KHAN, February 13. The Jelalkhels have released the two British flying officers who were forced to land on the North West frontier recently. The operations of General Matheson's two brigades were successful in repulsing the enemy at tacks but the Mahsads show no signs of submission.

MADE MUCH OF IN MOSCOW.

COMMUNIST M.P.'S VISIT.

LONDON, Esbruary 13. The Communist M.P. Mr. Newbold who has returned from Moscow interviewed, said that Lenin was quite well and was resting in the country. writing a book. Mr. Newbold was warmly welcomed in Moscow and spert most of the time with the Red Army which he thought strong in morale but much decreased in numbers being now only seven hundred thousand strong. He made nine speeches on the day of his arrival at Petrograd? where his reception was most enthusiastic, brass bands welcoming him at the

· Constantinople, February 13. The White Star liner "Homeric" has arrived with three thousand American tourists.

INDECENCY ALLEGED.

PROSECUTED.

Lo Wing-kwong, publisher

tabour organ, appeared on remand

morning on two summonses for

publishing (1) an indecent article

Mr. W. Schofield of the S.C.A.

prosecuted. A plea of 'not guilty'

was entered by Mr. C. A. S. Russ

Mr. Lo Kam-chak, a first-class

translator in the S.C.A. Fin the box,

declared the translation as faith-

sense of the Chinese article. Th

charge of indecency was proceeded

asking him to interrupt as soon as

he came to any passage or word

which the witness thought indecent

His Worship subsequently objected

to Mr. Russ' line of cross-examina-

translation, this being consented to.

preter in the S.C.A. as to the

In reply to his Worship, Mr

The delay was due to pressure of

WORLD THEATRE.

FRANK MAYO IN "DR. JIM."

What would the average man do

he were a doctor and his worst enemy

were in his hands for a serious

operation? It's an interesting

situation, and it is made doubly

thrilling by the splended acting of

the star Frank Mayo and his

supporting players in the ccreen

drama utilizing that situation; at the

Formal evidence was then given

turnult in China.

the Hongkong Kung Po, the loca

COMPANY MEETINGS.

CHINESE NEWSPAPER IONGKONG AND BHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

The one hundred and seventh te port of the Court of Directors to the ordinary yearly general meet- before Mr. R. E. Lindsell this ing of shareholders to be held at the City Hall on Saturday, February 24, and (2) matter calculated to excite at noon: reads as follows:

The directors have now to submit to you a general statement of the affairs of the Bank, and balance sheet | who defended. for the year ending 31st December,

The net profits for the year in fully reproducing in English the cluding \$3,331.778.59, brought forward from last account, with first, witness in reply to the after paying all charges, deducting Magistrate, describing the tone of alleged in a prosecution in Mr. R. interest paid and due, and making the article as obscene. provision for bad and doubtful accounts and contingencies, amount to the official translation to witness

\$16,264,182.58. The directors recommend the transfer of \$1,000,000 from the profit and loss account to credit of the silver reserve, which will then stand at tion, characterising it as unreason-

\$24,500,000. \$1,000,000.

After making these transfers, had always to be governed by the deducting the interim dividend of £3 context. His Worship suggested per share, paid on 8th August last, that to prove the article was not and remuneration to directors, there out characters here and there and remains for appropriation \$10,527,-782.58, out of which the directors recommend the payment of a final dividead of three pounds sterling per share, viz., £48 1,000, and a bonus of two pounds sterling per share, viz., by a sixth grade clerk and inter-£320,000, amounting in all to £800 000 which at 2/23, the rate of the day, receipt of the papers.

will absorb \$7,177,570.09. The balance \$2,350,212.49 to be Schofield explained that the delay carried to new profit and loss account. in taking out the summons (th The sterling equivalents of the assets first article complained of was pu and liabilities are shown at 2/2], the lished on November 28), was that face rolling on the last day of the year. attention was first drawn to the Branches and Agencies,—Branch article by an anonymous person offices of the Bank have been opened about a fortnight after the date. at Cheloo and Haipbong.

Directors.-Mr. A. O. Lang has work as the checking of the transbeen elected Chairman for the year 19.3, and Mr. D. G. M. Bernard deputy Chairman, Mr. J. A. Plummer and Mr. A. S. Gubbay resigned their seats on leaving the Colony and Mr. A. M. Bowes-Smith was invited to join the board. These appointments require confirmation at this meeting. Mr. W.L. Pattenden, Mr. G.M. Dodwell and Mr. D. G. M. Bernard retire in rotation, but being eligible for reelection, offer themselves accordingly. Anditors.—The accounts have been audited by Mr. A. R. Lowe and Mr. E. J. Chapman, who offer themselves

for re-election.

NEW ENGINEERING WORK.

At a meeting of the board of Jim" is the o' the film play, on TUESDAY, March 6th at 9.30, directors of the New Engineering and directed by title William Worthington Shipbuilding Works, Ltd., held ab form Engens B Lewis scenario of an Shanghai last week it was announced original story written directly for the that the profits for the year, including star by Stuart Paton. Very interes the carry forward from:1921 amount- ting pictures from the Screen ed to Tls. 335,216.14 and it was de- Magazine and the Fourth Round of cided that the shareholders be recom- Leather Pushers" form part of the mended to apportion this amount as follows:--

To pay the preference share dividend at 8 per cent :: 120,000.00 To pay a dividend of 12 per cent on the ordinary

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CORRESPONDENCE.

MURDERED CHINESE OLICEMAN'S DEPENDANTS

[To the Ed.tor of the " China Mell."]

Sin,—I have the honour to request the favour of insertion in your paper of the following information, ments will be closed. concerning the financial provision made for the dependants of the late Lance Sergeant C100 Sin Chuen, who was shot by armed robbors in Wing Wo Street on September 29 last.

A sum of \$500.00 for funeral ex penses and a pension of \$20.00 a month under conditions similar to those of the Widows and Orphans' Pension Fund, "has been granted to the widow by the Government Also a sum of \$2,035 has been raised by public subscription, through the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou Son and the Hon, Mr. Ng Hon Tsz and a further amount of \$100 has contributed through Editor of the South China Morning

The total sum thus subscribed \$2,135.00, will be administered by Committee consisting of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, and the two Chinese Members of Legislative Council. \$100.00 has been paid to the widow and the balance of \$2,035 of the money has been placed on fixed deposit and as no regular payments from it appear. for the time being necessary, capital and interest will be reserved against the time when it is necessary to make further provision for the children, or against emergency. A list of subscribers to the Fund raised by the Chinese Members of the Liegislative Council can be seen at the office; of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs .- Yours, etc.,

E. R. HALLIFAX, Hongkong, February 13.

STONES ON HOUSE.

SHOULD HAVE DODGED

SANG LEE FOREMAN'S NOTION.

Callous indifference by the foremen of Sang Lee, contractors, to the lives and property of residents in the neighbourhood of a building site in Conduit Road where blasting operations have heen going on-was E. Lindsell's Court this morning.

Cross-examining Mr. Russ regul When remonstrated with by Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lo. whose house No. 55, Robinson Road had been hit by several rocks each weighing about seven pounds, the foremen said that the inmates should have endeavoured to avoid the stones which "were bound to fly all over able Mr. Russ had submitted the place." -"We were also told," They also recommend writing off that various characters complained said Mr. Lo, "to hide oursely Bank premises account the sum of of had different meanings, the wit- when these charges were being ness disagreeing as the meaning fired." Mr. Lo also said that his father actually sought out one foreman in order to warn him of the necessity of taking more precaution. viz.:-£480,000 at 2/7}=\$3 686 400, indecent, Mr. Russ could not pick Between then and now, there was ample time to earry the necessary mill them to pieces; an opposition precautions out, but they did not do translation would have to be put inso and because of that attitude, . Mr. Russ, accordingly asked for Mr. Wright was asked to take out week's adjournment to prepare a

the summons. Defendant pleaded that the usual precaution had been observed, the charge being covered with a layer of gunny bags and timbers. He admitted that he failed to put up a wooden screen round the boundary. of the site, this being for protection in case the timbers failed to cover the oharges effectively. According to Mr. A. E. Wright, who prosecuted, the screen is invariably put up by all contractors.

Giving evidence, Mrs. M. K. Lo said that on the 5th, she heard a crash as if the whole house had fallen. Tater, she ascertained thatit was caused by a stone crashing through the roof. Another stone dropped on the lawn where the amah was hanging up clothes to dry. A third fell in a gutter after breaking a widow-pane. A. conviction was recorded; defendant being fined \$150.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

SOCIETY FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

A FANCY DRESS BALL in aid of the above Society World Theatre this week end. "Dr. will be held in the CITY HALL,

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Hongkong, February 14, 1923. Secretary for Chinese Affairs, THE ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF

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E. B. REDMOND, Hon. Secretary (Ladies' Section Hongkong, February 14, 1923.

TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

A LL preliminary notices of forthcoming meetings, lectures and ntertainments, sent for insertion in the news columns of the China Mail, are charged for at the rate of \$1 each. (as announced in May and June of last year) providing that they do not. occupy thore than foux lines. In future if this space is erceeded they will be placed in the advertising columns at the prevailing ra'et

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M. E. F. AIREY, Superintendent Hongkong, February 8, 1923

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS.

The N.Y.K. s.s. "Bengal Maru" (Liverpool Line) left Bombay for Hong-kong on Jan. 28 and is expected here on

The C.P.S., R.M.S., "Empress of Canada" arrived at Shanghai on Feb. 12 at noon, left Shanghai on Feb. 12 at 7 p.m. and is due at Kobe on Feb. 15 at

The P. & O. s.s. "Sleilia" is expected to arrive at Hongkong on or about

The Dodwell Castle Line s.s. Bolton Castle" which left New York on Dec. 18 left Honolulu on Jan. 18 via Manila and is expected here on Feb. 18.

The B. F. ss. "Agamemnen" left
Liverpool on Jan. 13 for Penang, Port
Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong,
Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is
due here on or about Feb. 21.

The P. M. s.s. "President Pierce"

left Hongkong for San Francisco via Changhai, Kobe Yokohama and Honolulu on Jan. 31 and arrives at San Francisco

The P. & O. s.s. "Dongola" is expected to arrive at Hongkong on or about

Saturday Feb. 24. The China-Australia Steamship Co.'s

s.s. "Victoria" with Australian Mail
sailed from Sydnev on Feb. 3 and is expected to be here on or about Feb. 24.

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The B. F. s. "Eurybates" left Liverpool on Jan. 20 for Penang, Port Swettenbam. Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghal, Kobe, Yokkaichi and Yokohama and
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is due here on Feb. 24. The B. F. s.s." Priam "left Rotterdam on Jan. 18 for Penaug, Port Swettenham. Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or

about March 2. The B. F. s.c. " Doucation " left Liverrool on Jan. 27 for Penang, Fort Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or

about Mar. 10. The B. F. s.s. "Ixien" left Liverpool on Feb. 3 for Penang, Port Swettenham and Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai

Kobe and Vokohama and is due here on or about Mar. 13. The Dodwell Castle Line s.s. "Mun-caster Castle" which left New York on Jan. 11 via ports is expected in Hong-

kone on March 17. The B F. s.s. "Bellerophon" left New York on Jan. 30 for Suez, Straits, Philippines and Hongkong and is due here on crabout Mar. 27. The P. M. s.s. "President Taft" salled

from San Francisco on Feb. 8 with a full complement of passengers and freight. The steamer, arrives Hongkong on Mar. 4 sailing for Manila on Mar. 5 arriving there on Mar. 7. She is scheduled to sail for San / Francisco via usual ports on Mar. 14 and will arrive San Francisco on Apr. 5.

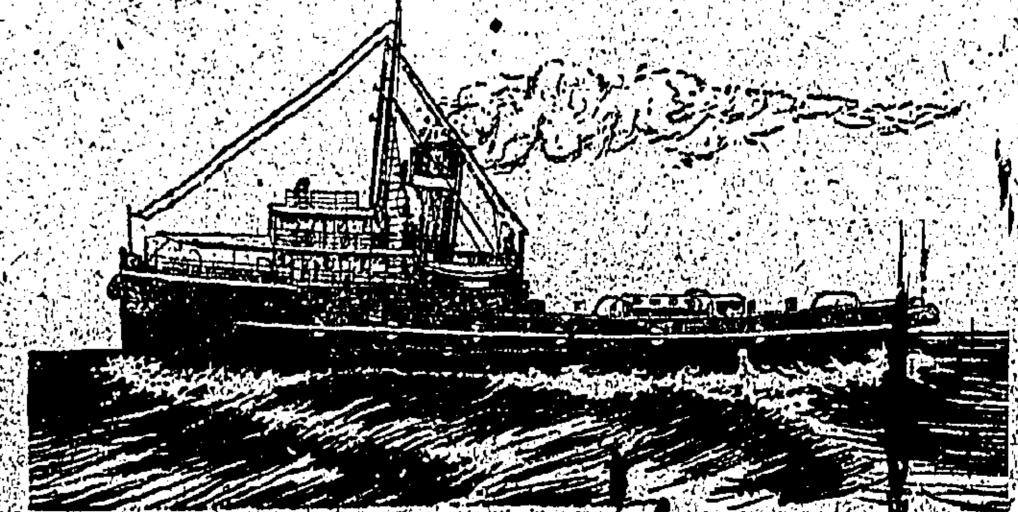
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"SICILIA"	6,700 	7th Mar.	I B'bay, Marsoilles, L'don & Worp.			
"MOREA" "LAHORE"	5,952	8th Mar.	S'noro Penang, Col'bo & B'bay.			
" LIPORE"	5,273	13th Mar.	Singapore and Bombay.			
"KASHMIR"	8,000	·21st Mar.	MARSEILIES, LONDON & A'WOIT.			
"SOUDAN"	6,700	- 23rd Mar.	S'pore, Pennig Col'bo & B'bay.			
"DONGOLA"	9,000	4th Apr.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'werp.			
"NANKIN"	7,000	18th Apr.	do			
"BICILIA" —		21st. Apr	S'pore, Penang, Col'bo & B'bay.			
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Bills of Lading will be countersigned

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IA, CHATER ROAD.

Yesterday afternoon, a twenty-two

on her legs and weals on her arms. According to the defendant, the Blackburn24 7 8 9 3) 35 mus taas had been improperly conducting herself with the lodgers. As she was in charge of the household (her mother being dead), she called the muitsai into her room and remonstrated with her. Complainant became insolent, pushed her and knocked her down. In her own defence she seized Results to Saturday, Jan. 6 (Inclusive.) a Chinese loot-rule and struck the mut teat about the legs. She admitted pinching The complainant snatched ruler from her and hit her about the body, head and eyes.

His Worship: Do you persist in Derby County 24 10 7 7 30 23 saying that all the bruises were Barnsley25 10 5 10 34 31 25 dence with her favourite Lady-in- Unhappy motherland. You have others. The Emperor arrived anxiinflicted by a foot-rule in a free fight? Southampton25 8 9 8 24 23 25 Waiting sets her forth in quite an- been tormented from within, and ous and, sitting own, said: "Now, Delendant-Yes.

His Wonbip-But a little foot rule could not possibly have caused such bruises on anybody.

Defendant's reply was that a result of pinches.

defendant's arm for the injuries alleged to have been received in retaliation from the muitsai said "I

see no sign of any mark at all." Mr. R. E. A. Webster for the defence produced the foot-rule after a -brief adjournment and Hise Worship Bradford 10 6 5 34 20 26 ed upon to bear was but part of the everyone and introducing order. after summing up fined defendant as stated.

COTTON TRADE.

Messrs. Polishwalla and Kotwall cotton and yarn brokers, report under Hartlepools 22 7 data February 12:-

Since our last report December 26 per Str. "Kashgar," Grimsby19 6 3 10 27 25 15 dergone any, material change, owing the continued colitical unrest in Canton and surrounding districts which has greatly hampered entire Results to Saturday, Jan. 6, (Inclusive.)

A good demand from Yunnan Province has induced buyers to operate on a moderate sonle, resulting in the Swanson.24 14 5 5 51.23 33 total sales of about 5,000 bales of 10s. Plymouth............22.14 2 6 31 12 86 and 12s. Counts, with an increase of Watford24 12 6. 6 55 26 30 \$4 to 8 per bale, while other Counts Brighton24 11 4 9 28 26 26 are entirely neglected. The heavy fall in Rupes exchange Nor-hampton.....22

firm, who are holding out their stocks Norwich 8 7 7 27 26 23 rise after the Chinese New Year. Owing to the very near approach of Bristol R21 7 7 10 29 25 21 the Chinese New Year, which is on the Morthyr 22 6 8 16th inst., business is almost suspen- Brentford............22 8 3 11 25 32 ded, but as the Chinese dealers have Reading24 4 8 12 20 38 very small stock in their bands, a fair. Newport C 23 . 4 7 12 19 35 ly large business is expected at the Gillingham.......23 5 4 13 23 35 14 opening of the market in the com. Aberdare 22 4 3 15 19 44 11 mencement of the New Year.

Unsold stock 9,000 bales. Bargains in Chinese hands about

Shanghai :- Local mile are reported wertisement columns, the Kowloon to have done good business and large motor Buc Co. propose to operate a lote have changed hands, owing to the lifteen minute sarvice, running direct esgerness of Chinese buyers who are from the Star Berry Wharf to Kowtaking advantage of the present cheap loom City, via Chatham Road, Gascoine Road, Hung Hom and the

Japanese Yarn :- The present rate Old Kewloon City, road. This new ruling in Japan that large transactions will be the general opinion of the have passed during the whole interval travelling public of Kowloon that the as under:-1200-Bales Negasaki No: company have taken a light stop in. 20s \$216/225; 1200 Bales 3 Horses No. filling up a much felt want. 16s \$215; 500 Bales 3 Horses No. 201 \$207 217, 2000 Balen Yellow Jose No. ARE 1YOU ONE OF THE 20a \$210/222; 2000 Biles Setru No. 100 8197, 2000 Bales Setsu No. 201 \$227; 2000 Bales Bine Fish Dio. 200

MURDERED TSARITSA.

TRAGIC MEMORIES IN LAST LETTERS.

The last interior illumination of nouse of Diakovar. With a single shawls. earlier exception, they extend over

ficingly took upon themselves the feel myself to be the mother of the done. But it is a fact. Chelsen24-6-8-10-£6-99-90and valuable light on one of the not the whole country.

prominent personalities of history. was treacherous to Russia and fav- what an empty invention was the SPIRIT OF RESIGNATION. Infinitely mischievous as the 1918, she writes: band have shown her to have been Do you know I love it much more the desire either of the Emperor or West Ham24 11 5 8 30 24 27 as a political force, her correspon- warmly and tenderly than you do? of Rasputin or of Sturmer or of other light, and it is impossible to the Germans have mutilated you Gregory, say in good prayer. read the documents now to be given from without, taking away an seems to me that even nature is Port Vale.........23 9 4 10 23 24 22 to the world without a feeling of enormous piece, as in the days of going against us now. " He then Coventry24 10 2 12 29 35. 22 admiration for the spirit of selfless Alexei Michailovitch, and that told us that in consequence of the Stockport24 9 4 11-18-34 22 resignation in which she bore the without fighting in the time of mowdrifts it was impossible to terrible humiliation and sufferings revolution. If they bring order bring corn to Petrograd. Gregory suggested that the bruises were the Bradford C24 5 9 10 16 26 19 of her closing days. The dominant into our country, what could be Efimovitch cheered him up, saying Crys. Palaco25 5 8 12 25 42 18 note of all the letters, most of more insulting and humiliating than that the main thing was not to con-Clapton 24 4 8 12 19 32 16 which are very long, and which to owe that to the enemy? God elude peace, as that country would His Worship, after examining Wolver. W.24 4 6 14 18 41 14 together will fill thirty or forty forbid. Only they would never win which showed the greatest enof profound and obviously sincere mains. Results to Saturday, Jan. 8, (Inclusive.) tribulations the Empress never lest, more emphatic: her trust in religion and her belief Such a nightmare that it should Gregory Esimovitch pointed out P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. that everything which she was call- be the Germans who are saving that thought should be given to the

> from a letter of March 15, 1918: Nothing but disgrace and horror. the Kingdom of Heaven. Then without terrible pain in my heart. will be no more suffering: Everything else can be taken from

have the love of God in their point of maintaining that hants, who see only what is his will pass, for otherwise it can-

understand all the grandeur of the Kingdom of Heaven: of religious exhortations and consoletions of this kind they are for the most part concerned with petty incidents of lamily and domestic

tracks of love and senfering will

pathetic in their very trivinlity and hours from Tearskog Belo Alexei simplicity. Thus on December 16, Nikolaisvitch's nose began to bleed.

1917, the Empress wrote:

Dr. Derevenko, who always accompanied him, tried to stop the blood, stockings. He has asked for a pair, but nothing availed, and the situa-

a last resort, which was some sort

peror agreed with this, remarking

that he had-news of the food situa-

tion being bad in Germany. Then

should feel aggrieved as every one

rose to take their leave the Em-

peror said, as always, "Gregory

cross us all," but Gregory

Efimovitch answered, "To-day you

bless mo." which the Emperor did.

Whether Rasputin felt that he was

sceing them for the last time I

know not. I cannot assert that he

had premonitions of events though

what he said came to pass. Per-

sonally I only describe what I heard

an'i how I saw him. With his own

leath Rasputin associated great

misfortunes' for their Majesties-

During his last months be con-

To Madame Vyroubova's con-

firmation ' of the nopular theory

that Sir George Buchanan was the

real author of the Russian Revolu-

tion serious attention need not be

given. This is only one feature of

a great deal of political nonsense.

HONGKONG TIDES.

Che tide-table kives below has been

mpiled at the National Almanac Office

's London from the result of the analysis

observations taken by means of an

atomatic tide-recording machine in the

Nater Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui

The zero of the table corresponds with

the sare of the sounding in the Admiralty

Thart, which has been found to be 4 teet

To obtain the depth of water on the

dde gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard.

edd I feet 4 inches, and on the gauge

in the bolow mean see-level

contained in her book.

luring the years 1909-9.

stantly expected that he would soon

for his are in holes, while mine are tion became so threatening that Dr. thick and warm. How I knitted Derevenko decided to ask the Emperhaps the profoundest and most last winter. Do you remember? peror to turn back, the train, as complex tragedy in history is sup- I also do for my folk everything of Alexei Nikolaievitch was losing plied by the letters written by the that sort which they need . Papa's much blood. The Emperor passed Tsaritsa Alexandra Feederovna trousers are terribly patched, and hours of torment awaiting their refrom her Tobolsk prison to her most my daughter's blouses are in holes. turn, as he feared such attacks of intimate friend and only woman Mama has masses of grey hairs. bleeding more than anything. With confidant, Madame Anna Vyrou- Amastasia is very fat [to her des- extraordinary precautions he was bova. These remarkable docu- pair], as Mary was formerly long carried from the train. I saw him ments will be published shortly in and strong in the body and thin as he lay in the nursery a little waxletters and memoirs, the correction short legs. I hope she will grow like face, with the nostrils plugged proofs of which have very courteous; still. Olga is thin and Tationa with bloody cotton wool. Professor broots of which have very conferred also. Their hair is growing won-ly been placed at the writer's dis-posal by the Russian publishing derfully, as they go about without attending to him, but the bleeding

roff told me he much wanted to try "ALL BO BRAVE AND GOOD." the period between Oct., 1917, and In her next letter the Tsaritsa of glands of guineapigs. The Ember removal of the Imperial family writes of her husband: "He is press was on her knees at the bedthe removal of the Imperial family writes of her husband: "He is to Ekaterinburg in April, 1918. positively amazing—such firmness side, racking her brains as to what They were written partly in Eng- of spirit, though he suffers endlessly to do next. Returning home lish and partly in Russian, but the for the country. But I am amazed received from her a note with an text in the memoirs is entirely in when I look at him." She adds: order to call in Gregory Efimovitch. the latter language. The only do- 'All the other members of the He came to the Court, and with the tails suppressed are a "few phrases family are so brave and good, and parents went into see Alexei Niko-peared to be well nourshed and clothed. Dr. Valentime examined the muittai on February 5, finding bruises w. Bromwich A....24 9 6 9 38 83 24 their prison house by devoted letter, she returns to the theme.

Shofield U.25 11 7 7 38 31 20 dence carried the captives under Bolshevik surveil-night. Only not that shameful bleeding stopped, and next day the peace," and again, in the same Emperor went to headquarters. W. Bromwich A....24 9 6 9 38 83 24 their prison house by devoted letter, she returns to the theme.

The doctors said they were absolute-Aston Villa24 9 6 9 31 33 24 friends and servants, who self-sacri- How old I have become, but I ly at a loss to know how it had been

Blackburn24 7 8 9 3) 35 22 mentally took appear these country, and I suffer with it as if Madame Vyroubova's account of Preston N.E.24 7 7 10 34 39 21 clandestine communications. The with my own child, and I love my the last meeting between the Tsar Birmingham25 6 9 10 24 31 21 Tsaritsa was well aware of the dan- land, in spite of all the terrors at and Rasputin may, perhaps, also be gers which such correspondence in- the present time and all the wrong worth quoting, with proper reser-Variant C.........24 8 4 12 34 38 20 Solved, and repeatedly enjoined dohe. You know that love and vations: regard of these admonitions we are, tude to the Emperor, which lace. I sarskoe- Sclo whither I had at any rate, indebted for a fresh rates my heart-after all, that was summoned him by order of

perplexingly contradictory in the letters, in fact, should finally 1 month before his murder. Here P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. characters to be found among the destroy the legend that the Empress I convinced myself more than ever oured Germany. On March 15, balk about a wish for a separate

closely printed octavo pages, is one have dared to talk to papa and durance and patience. The Em-

piety. Through all her trials and On the following day she is even

benevolent designs of an inscrut- What could obe worse or more Wigan B. 20 10 5 5 31 25 25 able Providence. At times the humiliating than that? We accept comes almost ecstatic. "As, for in- take everything from us with the stance, in the following extract other. God save and help Russia. With heart and soul I am always It is God's will that Russia should with you in prayer. May God pre- bear these insults, but it kills me to you. And thanks to all in think that precisely Germans-not general. Soon Spring will be upon in battle (that goes without saying) us, and joy in our hearts. First the but in time of revolution are movway of the Cross and then Christ ing forward and have taken Batoum risen. Soon it will be a year and so on. They have completely. ince I parted from you, but what plucked our warmly loved country. is time? Nothing. Life is vanity I cannot reconcile myself to this, and we are all only preparing for that is to say, I cannot think of it

RASPUTINIS INFLUENCE. Apart from these letters the book man, but his soul no one can take, is historically worthless. If Madame be killed. though the devil lurks for him at Vyroubova had been a trustworthy every step. He is cunning, but we witness, her evidence as to events must fight him bravely. He knows which took place under her eyes weaknesses better than we do, would have been invaluable; for takes advantage of this know- was a regular messenger between But it is our business to be the Russian Imperial pair and on our guard, not to sleep but to Gregory Rasputin. Unfortunately All life is a struggle, for for her; the Tsaritsa's letters have otherwise there would be neither been published since the memoirs accomplishments nor rewards. All went to the press; and they have trials sent by Him are for the best. proved up to the hilt a great deal Everywhere you see His hand. Do of what the lady-in-waiting exerts men act evilly unto you? Then herself desperately to disprove. bear it without murmur. He will This concerns mainly the role of also send His guardian angel, His Basputin, who, she preposterously comforter. We are never alone, declares, had no influence on Im-He is omnipresent, omniscient love perial policy, though the Tsaritea's How is it possible not to letters show that Madame Vyroubelieve in Him? The sun shines boys repeatedly soted as transmitbrightly. Although the world sins, ter of the Starets's political mesand we sin, and darkness and evil sages to the Court, and that her prevail, the sun of truth will shine house was a regular rendezvous of forth. It is only necessary to open his worthless candidates for vital our eyes, to hold wide the doors of Ministerial positions. According to the soul, in order to receive into Madame Vyrolibova, Rasputin was oneself the mys of that sun. We merely a holy man endowed with love Him, do we not, my child, and healing and prophetical powers, and Only patience a little longer, my only calumnies of enemies. Neisoul, and these sufferings will pass ther herself nor any of those who and we shall forget our torments knew him well, she declares, ever here are so unfavorable to those service commences to morrow and it and there will only be thankfulness habened any sign of his notorious. for all. The Lord help those who debauchery. She even goes to the women, even it she, had wished it could have been attracted by him: As is well known, the influence of

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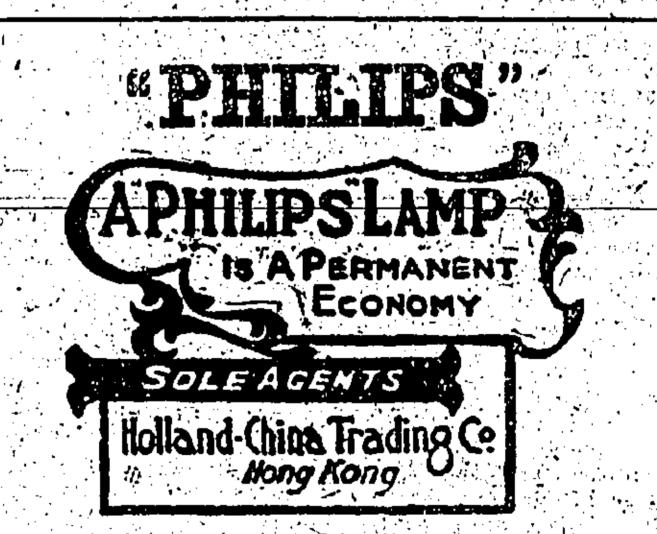
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PASSENGERS.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND July 11.—P. & O. Malwa.

SHIPPING.

EFFICIENCY OF THE WOLD'S MERCHANT FIEETS.

the basis of distribution of world is of importance to see in what way Sabhuza the 28-years-old Chief poring the fleets has been affected. war, and yet the amount of tonnage ! possessed by the world has increased. It would appear to be a reasonable assumption that the replace- grievances, old employees at Waterloo ment tonuage, built at high speed. declared that he is far, and away the largely to standard type, and by most cheerful monarch the station has labour which was not highly skilled seen in many years. Undaunted by In shipbuilding, would not be so the change from the hot African efficient as the tonnage lost.

undertaken by the writer in the of dazzling radiance. mercantile fleet has remained ar proximately unaltered. Obviously Great Britain was the country which was most exposed to, an which suffered most from attacks upon commerce during the avar, and it may therefore, perhaps, be fairly argued that the age of the world's merchant fleet, as a whole, has not been materially affected.

wooden war-built vessels, now laid up, which it is extremely unlikely will be taken into service again. Moreover, Mr. A. D. Lasker, the President of the American Shipping Board, 'admitted in April, 1922 that at least 3,000,000 tons of the U.S.S.B. fleet was "fair to useless ": it is probable that at least 4,000,000 tons of American tonnage is still laid up, and of this 3,000,000 tons is utterly unsuitable for postwar conditions. It was recently. reported, for instance, that in the Hudson River there are seven miles PHRENOLOGICAL SCIENCE. of idle vessels, several abreast, while conditions in the James River, at Newport News, are even

It was estimated last year that approximately 20 per cent._of the_ world's fleet was idle. Roughly-21-logical Society-in-London recently to 3 million tons of shipping were Dr. Bernard Hollander, said the laid up in British ports, exclusive chief obstacle to the foundation of of tonnage tied up on account of a really scientific phrenology, as the disastrous coal strike of last distinguished from the popular summer. Figures collected by the character-reading phrenology, was Chamber of Shipping of the United the lack of proper methods of study-Kingdom gave the total as 1,852,000 ing the brain. The method on tons, but from other sources this which the greatest reliance had been would appear to be an under-state- placed for the past fifty years was ment. The comparative figure for that of experiments on the exposed July 1, 1922; however, is 1,112,000 brains of animals, and this has now

upon the average efficiency of the pitals, have been investigated victims may -perhaps mark the world's fleet cannot but be con- eniefly from the point of view of excellence of her singing in Chinese siderable. A 6,000-ton cargo physical signs. The only place ears. Master Willy Lee sang a steamer is subject to charges where the mental changes following Chinese song. amounting to about £10 per day brain disorders could be observed when laid up at moorings, quite satisfactorily was in asylums, and tette included violins, flutes, and a apart from interest on the capital these have hitherto not provided value, insurance, and depreciation, any or only very few, facilities for to the Chinese, there are eight Thus the 10,000,000 tons laid up systematic study. represents, in addition to possibly "We want" he said, "mental £100,000,000 idle capital, an ex- hospitals in actuality, not in name penditure of at least 6 to 8 per cent. only, before progress in this departper annum. Furthermore, depre- ment of science can be expected." ciation proceeds at a very much. He had tried the experiment of of stone, of metal, of baked earth, of higher rate when vessels are laid up applying galvanism to certain re- silk of wood, of bamboo and of gourd. Mar. 1.-O.S.K. than when they are in service, and gions of the head for the improve- Musicians therefore have fashioned the effect of laying up on the utility ment of mental power. He found skin into drams, stone into cymbals, of the tonnage and upon the length the method so successful that he metal into bells, baked earth into of economic life of the vessels, must has since treated a large number of horns, silk into lutes, wood into be very marked.

large amount of idle tonnage in the application, self-confidence, and organs. And there you have the world renders the recovery of world self-assertion; and that their power theory of Chinese music and the source trade a very much slower and more for work and their mental efficiency of the Chinese orchestra. difficult process than it otherwise was really increased thereby was might be. When freights tend to proved by the cases of backward rise, the natural and invincible and indolent students who succeedoptimism of shipowners renders it ed in examinations in which they almost inevitable that more laid-up had previously failed. tonnage should be replaced in ser- Dr. Hollander explained that it vice than is justified by the amount was possible to have a scientific of increased trade which instigated phrenology, a science of the localisa-! the slight upward freight move- tion of the mental functions in the Oxford University, addressing the course, is that freights fall again, popular variety, depicted on the Oxford said a professional musician possibly to an even lower level, so familiar phrenological busts and was one who made money with his that still more tormage is thrown applied solely to the reading of a music and an amateur one who made out of employment.—Sir Westcott man's character from the elevations music with his money. Abell in Brassey's, Naval and Ship- and depressions of his cranium. Music was now getting into the

MOTOR SHIPS.

In any endeavour to draw from that Gall, its originator, was one of be a green grocer. In any endeavour to draw from every centre of home shipbuilding was founded are now universal proses person who, when asked if he cald motor vessels have been laid down. Perty. Over 80,000 tons of this type of

SMILING CHIEF,

RULER OF SWAZILAND IN LONCON.

Having travelled more than 6,000 'Apart from the possible change in miles to bring his country's troubles tonnage as a result of the war, it to the ear of the British Government, the efficiency of the vessels com- Swaziland, has arrived in London, A gross total of over 12,600,000 He is the ruler of 110,000 stalwar tons of merchant shipping was lost tribesmen in the territory of 6,678 by direct war risks during the late square miles at the south eastern corner of the Transvaal.

Although he is the bearer of many sunshine to the murk of one of the

to face a line of cameras and kinema machines, and when his eye lighted on the escalators leading to the Bakerloo Tube it assumed the intensity of a

Whether, however, the efficiency, the Colonial Office, the Paramount | Flowers," sung by Miss F. Lew and question. The world's fleet to-day his cheerfulness endured even while from a Western audience. It was includes at least 11 million tons of Dr. Manfred Nathan, K.C., his evident from the remarks of those in principal legal adviser, described the the audience that they appreciated wrongs for which he seeks redress.

He claims that during his minority his country has been exploited for the -thst-a-contract under which the Paramount Chief's income was guaranteed at £1,000 a month was nipeg's Chinese residents of the better broken when the country was taken under British protection.

BERNARD HOLLAND-ER'S APPEAL.

__Addressing the British Phreno-

world shipping is still laid up. Fven brain lesions in man, which carried the melody. That Miss Lew's Apr. 23.-T.K K. The effect of this idle tonnage may be observed in ordinary hos- i voice at times merged into that of the

The immediate result, of brain, as distinguished from the Incorporated Society of Musicians at .. Most people made no such distinc- crannies of human life in a way that tion and regarded phrenology as a it had never done before. When a

ference as to the immediate future the greatest anatomists in medical Some people thought that to be of the industry, the question of the history, who had based his doctrine able to play a difficult piece of music extent to which motor-propelled on researches into the structure and ships are replacing steamships must functions of the brain, and that not be ignored. . . In practically most of the principles on which it

ship are being built on the Clyde, tons there is only one on the world's Because people could not listen. 15,000 tons on the Tyne, 8,000 tons where he will are twelve ranging properly music had always been at a on the Tees, 5,000 tons in yards on in tonnage between 15,000 and discount. the Wear, 4,000 tons on the Mer- 20,000, and one of these is a motor, will wan a matter of great importsey, and 7,700 tons on the Tay, ship, a fact which indicates the anoa whether there should not ba a Abroad German vards have in hand extended range of application of the minimum qualification for the exnearly 57,000 tons of motor ships extended range of application of the minimum qualification of making succession succession of making succession succession of making succession succession of making succession succes

A CHINESE CONCERT.

STRANGE TONES AND ODD INSTRUMENTS.

A correspondent sends the N. C. Daily News the following account of a Chinese concert in Winnipeg, in the notice of which the critic ventures upon a new definition of the fount and source of Chinese music.

"To the Chinese mere sensuous delight in tone presents such attraction that their musical system is mainly occupied with the analysis and classification of the different qualities of sound and only secondarily with those sequences of sound which we call notes." Thus writes an authority on Obinese mueic, and after listening to the Chinese music at the Allen Feb. 20 .- D. L. Theatre one can well believe it.

At first sound it appeared that Mr. It may be said at once, however, gloemiest days that Londonhasknown Manning had taken in a little too Mar. 1.—C. M. That from a detailed investigation for some time, the Chief wore a smile much territory in the national music carrier part of 1922, it would appear

It broke as he espied the friends

Allen when he included in his list a Feb. 20.—D. L. Haiching. nights presented each Friday at the who were awaiting him on the plat. Chinese night. East is east, and west form. It increased as he was led forth is west, as far as music is concerned, and it was with the utmost difficulty one could distinguish the merit of the Chinese selections played by a Chinese orchestra on Chinese instruments. The unusual is often the bizarre, and the When a Daily Mail reporter saw | bizarre often touches one's risibilities. him several hours later in a somewhat I so that while a Chinese audience might gloomy apartment secured for him by greatly appreciate the duet "Gathering is the same, is entirely another Chief was smiling more than ever, and Mr. Wong Tong, it brought laughter this difference, and the reproof of an elderly lady to her companion. "Really we shouldn't laugh, benefit of concession hunters, and struck the right note in expressing the feeling of the audience. It appeared that the efforts of a number of Winclass were doing their best to interpret

ideas of mueic. Considerate people realized this and appreciated their Apr. Mr. Manning's orchestra opened the programme with Hosmer's "Chinese Wedding Procession and a selection played by the Chinese orchestra immediately afterwards was all the more revolutionary by the immediate contrast. Mr. Wong Man sang "The Beautiful Kweife," accompanied by dulcimer and violins (Chinese), and Mirs Lew sang "The Ungrateful | Feb. 24.-C, N. ... Kuelchow. Husband." The singing of a Chinese singer cannot be described, but when Feb. 24,-C. N. accompanied by Chinese instruments there all pears a parallel perhaps worth noting. The writer once heard Feb. 19.-I.O.S.N. Loksang. Madame Melba singing with flute tons, and it may be assumed that been proved useless for the product accompaniment and at times one approximately 10 million tons of tion of "mental" phenoment. could not tell whether singer or flute Mar. 6.—O.S.K.

for the Allen audience the Oriental

music that was familiar to their ears.

but strange and weird to Western

different musical · sounds · nature and each possessing a well-marked character peculiar to itself. There are the sounds of skin patients deficient in nervous energy, castanets and vibrating instruments, Moreover, the presence of this as shown by lack of concentration, bemboo into flutes, gourd into mouth

SIB HUGH ALLEN'S WIT.

Sir Hugh Allen, professor of music,

species of quackery, rlevoid of person told him he wanted to learn foundation from beginning to end. music because he liked it he retorted. They were unaware of the fact "I like apples, but I am not going to

> made them musicians. There was a lack of humility about

do something, answered, "I have not tried it, but I could do it."

significant feature of the statistical suggest the beginning of a steady. Think that outward adornment meant may be pointed out that upward trend in the curve of ship howard and spiritual grace. The only in the tomage how building of and reveal the predomin medal worth wearing was that which was a recommendation of the British shranch had been won in action.

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	PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, MYS.	Philocteted.
TOJECTED DEPARTURES	MANICA.	MAN FRANCISCUE
CHINA COAST, MYC.	Feb. 16I.C.S.N. Loongsang.	Feb. 21D. L. Stnart Dollar. 26U.S.S.B. West Ivan.
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Feb. 15.—I.C.S.N. Wingsang.	Mar. 2.—A. O. L. Pres. Grant.	6.—P. M. Pres. Lincoln. 1 10.—D. L. liebsic Dollar.
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19.—C. N. Kiangsu. Korea Maru. 20.—D. L. Taiching. 6.--Col. P. S. Hannawa. Shinyo Maru. 22.—C. N 18. -H.A.L. Kinngchow. Bavelland. Fiberia Maru. 22,---C. N. Sulyang. Pres. Madison. 14.—A.O.L. China. 22.-I.C.S.N 11.—N.Y.K. Tango Maru. Hopung. Grace Dollar. 24.—E. A. 26.—I.O.S.N 25.--D. L. Bintang. 24.—S. & B. West Prospect. Apr. M.—H.A.L. Foosbing. Rhienland. DOS ANGELES. 26.—LOS.N Chunning 27.—D, L, Halbong. CEBU AND ILOILO. 1.—P. M. feb. 26.—U.S.S.B. Mar. 17.—U.S.S.B. Feb. 20.--U. N. Banks.

SANDAKAN. Valparaisu. Feb. 21.—I.C.B.N. Halching. Mar. 8.-E. &. A. (VIA JAPAN, HOWOLULU, SAN FRANCIS 29...O. N. **Einngohow** SAM PEDEC. SALENO CAUE, BALBAO 28.—J.O.J.L. Tjisondari, JAVA PORTS, 1.16. Feb. 22.—D. L., Strart Dollar Halhong. Stuart Dollar. Feb. 19.—J.C.J.L. Tjipanas. Mar. 7.-T.K.K. Ginyo Maru. 21.—J.C.J.L. 10.-D. L. Bessie Dollar. 21.-K.P.M. Van Overstraten. Apr. 23.-T.K.K. Anyo Maru. 93.—J.O.J.L. 25.—D. L. Green Dollar. 27.-T.K.K. Koyo Maru. Mar. 3.—Nanyo Y.K. S'rang Maru.

HAVANA NEW ORLEANS HONGAY. 10.—C. M. Goriistan. GALVEETON & NOBILE Chinhus Mar. 7.-T.LO. Hoffcon. INDIAN PORTS, MTC. SHANGHAI. PORTLAND. CALCUITA. Mar. 1.—%l. P. S. VIA RANGOOM). Wawalona. Feb. 21.—N.Y.K. Tateishi Maru. 15.—P. & O. 21.—P. M. Jacox. BALTIMORE. Wingsang. 15.—I.C.S.N. 2L-I.C.S.N. Kutsang. Nanchang. Feb. 22.—D. L. Sturt Dollar. 15.—C. N. %.**~**O.8.**K**. Altai Macu. Diaga Dollar. 19.—I.C,B.**M**. Loksang. 28.—B. I. Empress of Russia. **22. – O.P.**8. Mar. 6.—1.0.8.N. Namsang.

22.---C, <u>N</u>. ... Borneo Maru. 19.—0.8.K. 22.—C. N. Kiungchow. Hopsang. BOMBAY AND COLOMBO. 34.—P. &. O.\ Pres. Jefferson. Feb. 18.—N.Y.K. Kobun Maru. Fushimi Mare. 21. - P. & O. 1.-N.Y.K. Iyo Marn: 5.—T.K.K. .11.--().8.K. Rumatra Maru. 27.—P. & O. Sicilia. 5.—D. & Co. Mar. 7.—P. & O. MOTES. Pres. Lincoln. Lishore. Honolulu Maru. 10.—P. &. O. 10.—P. & A. Banca. Pres. Grant. 18.—P. & O. Alicore. 31.—P. & O. Kashmir. 16.—O. M. 33.—P. & O. Souden. 6.—B. F. Apr. 4.—P. & O. 18.—N.Y.K. Shidzuoka Maru. 13.—P. & O. Korea Maru.

Empress of Asia. AUSTRALIAN PORTS. Pres. Madison. Free. McKinley. SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, 7.—C.P.S. Empress of Canada. 16.—T.K.K. Siberia Maru. Mar. 3.—E. & A. 18.—C. **M**. 21.—N.Y.K. 19.—C.P.9. Empress of Russia. Empress of Alia. May t.-E.&A.

Feb. 24.—I.O.S.N. Kucichow. Mar. 3.-LC.S.N. Cheongshing. PRINGTAG. KEELUNG. Kaijo Maru. Anyo Maru.

Feb. 17.—C. N. Feb. 19.—I.C.B.N. Yatsbing. Kiangau. 24.—I.C.S.N. Chunsang. 24.—K. A. Bintang. 28.-I.O.9 N. Foothing. Mar. 1.-0.5.K. Bush's Maru.

SINGAPORE. Feb. 15.—A. O. L.

Pres. Jackson. 16.—O.R.E. Argun Maru. 15.—G. L. Glesanda. 15.-N.Y.K. Koban Maru. 16.—P. A. Anstralica: 17.-B. F. Titan. Troiluga 19.—B. F.

Tateishi Maru. St.—N.Y.K. 2L-P. & O. Khivs. 21.-K.P.M. Van Overstriten. Jeona - ' 21.-0. 8. K. Sumatra Mart. 92.—B. F. 25.—O.S.K Borneo Marc. 26.—B. F. Lanmedan. 27.-4. O. L. Proc. Jefferson. 18.—B. I.

28.-N.Y.K. Kashima Maru. Rusbo Maru Elkridge. 4.--U.S.S.B. 5.-B. F. Helenus. 6,-P. & O. Banca. 8.4P. & O. Honolulu Maru 8.—O R. E. 9.—B. F. Corlistan. 10.—n. **M**. London Mara 10.—O. R. K. 11.—A. O. L. 12.—B. P. Pres. Grant/ Antilochus.

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May 15 -B. P. July 3.-B. F. 13. -N.Y.K. Kanagawa Marii L'ACROA". Nankln Indien Demodocus

NEW YORK. (VIA PAWAMA) Feb. 22.—D. L.

May 15,-B, F.

Protosilaus. Achilles.

Harve Maru. 27.-T. I. O. Radnor. BURZ. 7eb. 22.—D. L. Stuart Dollar. 25.—R. F. Koyo Maru. 27.-T.K.K. Mar, 6,—B. F. City of Norwich Kather Dollar. 13.-D. & Co. Bolton Castle. 15.-R. F. $\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{F}}$ memmon. Celtic Prince. 19.—P.T. 20.-D. L. M. S. Dollar. City of Lincoln. 25.—B. F. Apr. 5.-B. F. Eurybates. 15.—D. L. Diana Dollar. BOSTON. Taivuan.

Feb. 15.—N.Y.R. Tenyama Maru. ·23.—D. L. Tango Mart. Stuart Dollar. 25.—R. F. 27.-T.K.K. Koyo Maru. St. Albans. Mar. 5,—B. F. 7.-D. L. Pather Pollar. 13.-D. & Co. UAPAN PORTS. Bolton Cartle-15.—B. F. Agamempon. Meltic Prince. 19.—P. L. Feb. 15.-A. O. L. Pres. Jackson. M. S. Dollar. 20.—D. L. 25.—B. F. City of Lincoln. Apr. 6.-B. F. Rurybytes. ¶ . Tango Maru. 15.—D. T., Diana Dollar. 18.—Nanyo Y.K. Borneo Maru. Nellore. 22.—T.C S N. Hosang. Empress of Russia. 27.—O.P.E.

, SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS. 24.—P. & O. Fahimi Maru. 27.—N.Y.K. DURBAN AND CAPETOWN. (VIA SINGAPORE BURNES AIRES, RIO--Ivo Marg. DE JANEIRO, SANTOS AND MAURITIUS.) 5-T.K.K. Tenyo Maru. Pres. Lincoln. - BARCELONA & VALENCIA. Kalvan. 7.—P & O. 10,-C. M. Nuking. Mar. 12.—H. A. L.: Havelland. 19.—A.O.L. Pros. Grant. Kanuawa Marn. Apr. 13.—N.Y.K. 14.--P. M. Pres. Taft. 14.—HAL. Shidrooka Maru. 18 **–** N.Y.K. Koros Marti. BRINDISI. VENICE & TRIESTE 21.--P. & O. Kaahmir. Empress of Asia. Persia.

22,—C.P.S. Mar 23.--L. T. Trieste. Amszon Marn. 25.—0.8.K. Apr. 2.-T.K.E. Shinyo Maru. 4.--A.O.L. Pres. McKinley. 4.—P. & O. Dongola. Feb. 15.—0. L Glessnads. 7.—9.P.S. Empress of Canada. Australien. Empress of Russia. `9,**_**0,P,9. 22.4R.F. Pelent. Siberia Maru. 15.—T,K.K. - 37. - N. L. West. May 1.-P. & O. Rermais. dar. 7.—D. lu Rupress of Alia. Talthybius. · 13. — R. F. 16.-P. & O. Khiva. 1H ... K. A. Afrika. 20.-P. & O. Kathgar. 30 —D [* M. S. Dollar. Pials.

Rather Dollar. Apr. 1,-N.L. 12.--F. A. Chile : 15.—D. L. Diana Dollar. Mar. 5.-T.K.K. Tonyo Maru. Pres. Lincoln. Nanking. Kores Mara. Apr. 2.-T.K.K. , Shinyo Maru. Feb. 31.—P. & O. Khiva. 15.-T.K.K. Siberia Maru.

38. —N.Y.K. Kashima Maru. Esther Dollar. IMPRICAL PURE. Mar. 7.—D. L. 7.—P. & O. Mores. 9 —B. F. VANCOUVER' ETC. 13.—B. F. Talthybius. M. S. Dollar. 30.—D. L. 31.--P & O. Kashmir. Africa Maru. City of Simila. Stuart Dollar. Apr. 1.-B. F. Empress of Bussia. Jyo Maru. 15.—D. L. Dians Dollar. Achilles. Nankin. Bossie Dollar. Damodocus. Shidenoka Maru. 18.—N.Y.K. May 2 P & C. Karnala. Rmures of Asia. 18.—P. & O. Kasebar: Pres. Medison. 30.--P. & O. NVADEA : 24.—B. V Philipstates. June 13.—P. & O. Pres McKinley. Apr. 4.-A O.L.

Empress of Canada. 19.--O.P.S. Empress of Russia. 25.--P. & O. 34.-R. F. Tyndareus. Grace Dollar. 25.-T. L. Empress of A'lia. Proveilaus. 15.—B. F. Mar. 9.-B. P. June IL.-B. F. Apr. 1.-B. F. Antilodius. CONDON. 15,-0,8,15. Airlos Maru. 19.—B. F. Mar. 1,...N.Y.K. Ivo Marte. \$1.--P. & O. Khim 7,-B. F. Achilles. .P. & O.

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Pres. McKinley. Mer. 35. B. F. 7.—P.&O. 6.4P.&O. 10.—O.8.E. Protes laux. June 11.-B. F. 12.—R.F. 18.—P. & O. Philoctotes. 19.—R. F. 21.—P & O. 23.—P & O. TL-EL Africa Marn. Strart. Dollar. Apr. . S H. F. Iyo Maru. Achillot. Persie Dollar. IR-V.Y.B.

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CHRISTMA CUMSHAW NOT ENOUGH.

The people of the pretty little Kent village of Gondhumt have been mystified by the silence of the bells of the parish church. The fact is that the ten ringers have declared a strike.

Usually a subscription has been raised about Christmas to compensate the men for their services during the year, and this arrangement has created dissatisfaction in view of the system in vogue in other villages, whereby the ringers are paid a fixed sum annually, The ringers approached the vicar

the Rev. Canon A. W. Raikes, on the matter, but received no reply, and, pending some fresh agreement, they have decided to give the belfry a wide berth, and to let amateurs try their luck with the belie. When interviewed, Eric Goodsell. one of the band, expressed the

opinion that little interest was taken in the ringers, who desired that their services should be officially recognised. The vicar said that he knew nothing

about a strike. "I don't know," he said, " whether the bells rang on New Year's Eve or not, as I was in bed."

The ringers' request is to be costsidered by the Parochial Church

Stuart Dollar. 19.—B. F. Demodocus 30.---P. & O. Nyauza. June 13.—P. & O. Novara. 27.—P. & O. July 11.—P&O. MAINS. 25.—P & O. Feb. 15.—G. L. 19.—B. F. 26.-B, F. Feb. 22.—B. F. Mar. 9.—B. F. 13.—B. F. Apr. 1.—B, F. 20.—B. F. Feb. 22.—B. F. Talthybius Apr. · 1.—A. F Antylochus. PORT SAID.

AMSTERDAM, Laomedon Mar. 5 .-- B. F. ...12.--B. F. l'lalz 5.—B. F. 16.—R. F. 93.—B. J. Damodocus. May 7.-B. F. June 2.—E. A.

Feb. 15.—G. L. Glessnis. - 10.—E. A. Australien. 19.—R. F. Troilus. 31.—P. &O. Khiva. 25.—H.E.L.L. 28.—B. F. Laomedon. 27. –N. L Weser. Mar. 12.—H. A. L. Havelland. Rhexence. Atriku. Apr. 'I.—N. L. Pfalz. Pyhrrus.

9.—R. F. Deucelon. Rhionland. 14.—FLAL 19.—E. 4. Indian. 20.—B. F. Agapenor. May 7.—B. F. Mentor. ANTWERP. Feb. 15.—U.S.K. 2L—P. & O. Khiva.

Argun Mars. Kashima Maru. 28.—N.Y.K. Mar. B.—B. P., Helenus. 7.—P. & O. Mores. Autylochus. 12.—B. R. 21.—P. & O. Kashnilr. Prism. 28.—B. F. Dongola. 5.—B. F. 18.—P. AO. Nankin. 30.—B. F. Agapenor. Karmala. Kashpar. Demodocus. 23.—B. F. Nyanes. une 13.-P. & O. NOTALE. Malwa HAMBURE

Feb. 15,-0.8. K. Argun Mare. Australiera 19. - R. F. Troiles. 26.—H.E.A.I 26.--B.F. Thomedon-27.-- N. L. Mar. 12.—H.A.L Rhesener. Afrika City of Simila, Pfals. ril. N. L Deupalion. Rhispland. May: 8.—R. A.

OOPENHAGEN Mar 80.—E.A. Apr 19.—E.A. Hay 8.—E.A. June 2.—E.A.



A-cording to report in Chicago, Horace O. Wetmore, 22 year old son of Frank O. Wetmore, millionair president of the First National Bank of Chicago, is shortly to marry Miss Helen Shipman, musical comedy star, at present appearing in "The Lady in Ermine," Young Wetmore is learning the packing business and is working now in the stockyards as a day labourer, Chapaprieta, Minister of Labour.



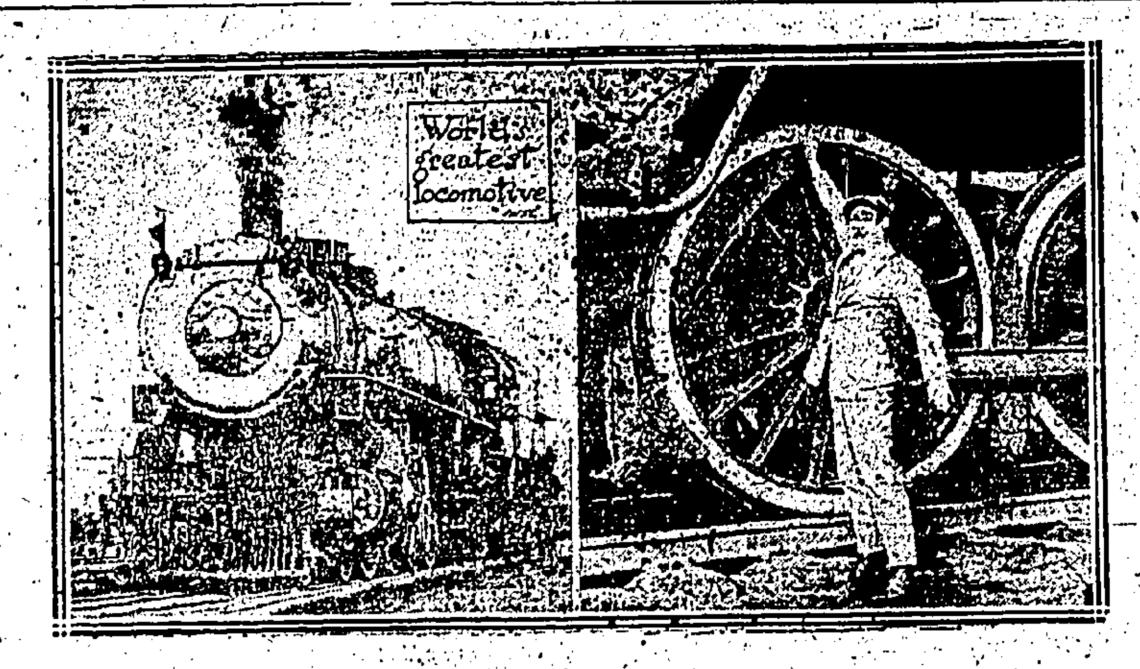
The new Spanish Cabinet formed by Senor Marquis de Albucemas as President. Seated, left to right: Senor Silvela, Minister of Marine; Senor Alacala Zamora, Minister of War; Senor Alba, Minister of Foreign Affairs: Senor Marquis de Albucemas, President of the Cabint; Senor Comde de Romanones, Minister of Justice; Senor Casset; Minister of Public Works. Standing, left to right; Senor Salvatella, Minister of Education: Senor Pedregal, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Senor Le Dugue de Almodovar del Valle, Minister of the Interior, and Senor Chancellor of Labour.



The King of Egypt with the Prime Minister whose Cabinet has resigned according to the morning cables.



Mrs George Miles, widow of the inventor, has continued her husband's work. She has recently completed the installation of pneumatic drop devators in a newspaper office. She is said to be the only woman elevator contractor in the world.



This massive locomotive, weighting 290 tons, is one of 54 ordered by the Southern Pacific. It is 15 feet 10 inches high and just a little short of 100 feet long. The whaels are six feet in diameter.



Sailors on the American Pacific fleet being taught how properly to carry sick comrades ashore. Specially constructed wire cages are need, the sick men being strapped in to preventhem falling out while being trans-shipped,



American State governor with his pet.



Italy's new Ambassador to the United States, Duke Galasin Caetani. The Duke has spent the greater part of his life in America. In 1915 halelt to join the Italian Army.



Voted Boston's most nandsome policeman.



Thomas F. Maloney has been named as Lord Chief Justice of the Irish Pros State. He administered the oath of office to the Governor-General, Mr. Timothy Healey.



While Mrs. Thomas W. Healy administered the anaesthetic, her husband, a veterinary surgeon, successfully performed a Caesavian operation on a valuable Boston terrier.



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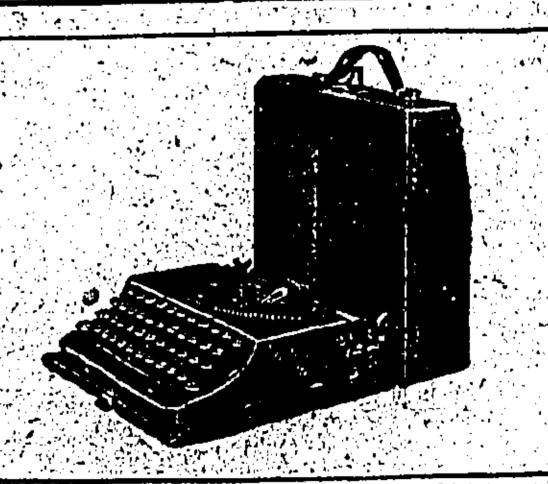
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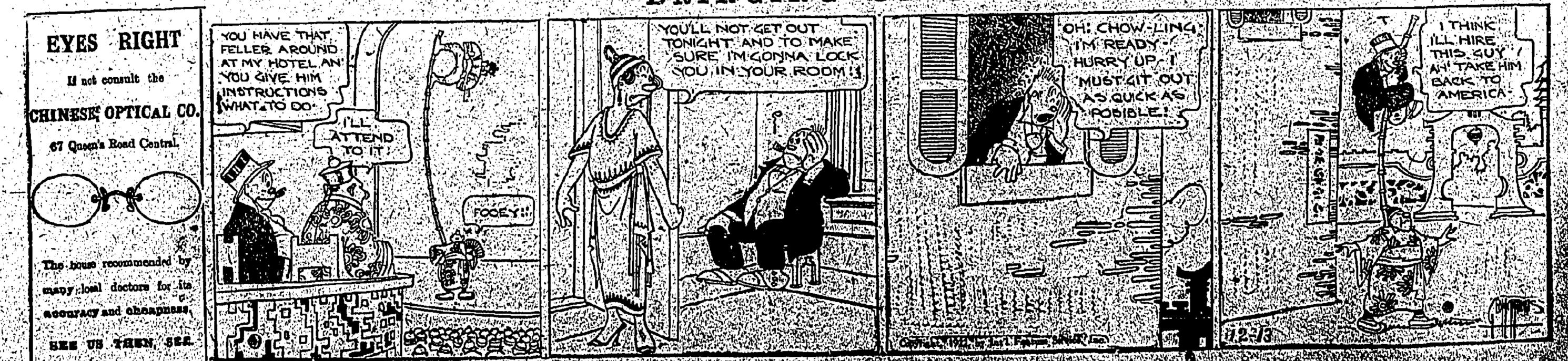
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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

RUHR TUG-O'-WAR,

Berlin, February 12. The German Notes to Paris and Brussels in replying to the Franco Belgian prohibition of the entry of German Ministers into the Ruhr aren, flatly declares that the Central and State Governments must refuse to accept any directions from for Governments regarding the way in which their Ministers should Feb. 15 .- J.C.J.L.

THE RUHR SITUATION.

BY COURTESY OF THE FRENCH

February 12. The Belgian and French Governmonts have warned the population of the Ruhr that they are assuming the complete exploitation of the Feb. 20.—Col. P. S. Wawalona. Railways, leaving the option to the German staff either to go away or to work under the direction of the

. The blockade began on Monday Feb. 18.—D. & Co Bolton Castle. morning. Goods cannot be exported without special licence. Seven trainloads of coal left on Sunday for France and Belgium; and nine trains vesterday.

The Harbour of Ruhrort! which was blocked up by the Germans, has completely cleared.

SUN YAT SEN TO GO TO CANTON.

SHANGHAI, February 13. Dr. Sun Yat Sen has announced that he will depart for Canton; aboard the "President Jefferson, on Thursday.

IMPORTATION OF MILITARY AEROPLANES.

Shanghai, February 13. · James Slevin, mentioned in a cable Inessage dated December 21 has been acquitted by Judge Lobingier of the United States Court. The Judge held that there was no evidence showing that the peroplanes mentioned in the charge were intended, or could be used for military purposes.

ANTI-JAPANESE DISTURBANCE AT TSINGTAO.

PEKING, February 13. serious anti-Japanese distur- Mar. 10. P. & O. bance is reported from Tsingtao. It appears that on Sunday last a Chinese ex-brigand who is now a gendarme, while at a Japanese auction sale was accused of pocket-While a Japanese police May 5 .- P. & O. were discussing the case thirty av June 2.—P. & O. Devanh were discussing the case, thirty exbrigands-who have recently been curolled in the gendarmeric-droye up in two cars to assist their comrade. They destroyed the furniture and after severely handling several Feb. 15.-N.Y.K. Japanese, hauled them off to the Police Station.

The Japanese were afterwards ndeased, but four of them, including the sergeant, had been somewhat seriously injured, and were removed to the hospital. The Japanese community are most in- Apr. 8 .- B. F. dignant regarding the outrage and are holding demonstrations and protesting to their Consul.

PLOT AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT IN KOREA.

Tokyo, February 13... A report to the Nichi Nichi from Scoul states that a plot against the Government of Korea has been discovered. Fourteen armed conspirators were arrested after a sharp fight. A list of names of sixty accomplices, and also fifty bombe. were confiscated.

BOXER INDEMNITY. .

.. Peking, February 12. The House of Representatives hold a special meeting to-morrow to discuss the payment of the French part of the Boxer Indemnity, at which it is understood the Representatives will urge the Government to pay in paper, not in gold francs. It is understood that regarding this the Chinese and French Governments agreed, last July, that the payment should be in gold france, and that the funds were to be used partly for Sino-French educational purposes, and partly for re-floating the Banque Industrielle de Chine. If the matter-is amicably settled the Banque Industrielle will probably open after the end of February.

PERING: February 18. In the House of Representatives this afternoon, the French portion of the Boxer Indomnity was discussed. A resolution was passed asking the Government for further

EXPORT OF COTTON

Pering, Rebmany 19. The Gavernment has communication gated to the diplomatio representafives a Cabinet resolution prohibiting the export of cotton.

40TIUE TO SHIPPERS AND PASSENGERS.

ARSSERS DAR FROM SWATOW & BANGEOK! Fob. 18.—E. A. Dintang. Mar. 5.—E. A. Banka. Dintang.

FROM DALNY.
18.—J.C.J.L. Tjitaroom -YEON MANILE. dar. 2.—U.S.S.B. Elkridge. 23.-U.S.S.B. West Prospect

· 14.—J.C.J.L. FROM SINGLEGRE

Mar. 3.-- U.S.S.B.

West Prospect. 23.—U.S.S.B. PROM SYDNEY AND MELBOURER Fab. 24.--- C. A. Victoria. Yur. 12.—E. & A. Arafura. St. Albans.

Elkridge

FROM PORTLAND.

FROM NEW YORK.

57.—F. B. Mar. 17.-D. & Co. Muncaster Castle. FROM YAMCOUVER.

Mar. 11.—B. F. Talthybius. Protosilaus. Apr. 19.—P. F. May 17.—B. F. Achilles. June 7 .- B. F. Talthyblus. July 5.-B. F. Tyndareus. SEATTLE.

Mar. II.-B. F. Talthybius. Apr. 19.—B. F. Protesilant. May 17.—B. F. Achilles. July 5.—B. F. Tyndarous:

FRUM LOS Feb. 25.—[7.5.8.7] Mar. 16.—U.S.S.B.

From Sin Frincisca Feb 25.-U.S.S.B. West Ivan. Mar. 10.—U.S.S.B. Dowey.

FROM EUROPEAN PORTS. Feb. 15 -H.E.A.L. Saparoes. 24.--P. &. O. Dangola. Mar. 7.—H.A.L. Rheinland. 10.—P. & O. Nankin. 15.- H-E.A.L. Banka 24.—P. & O. Karmala. Apr. 7.—P. & O. Khiva. 21.—P. & O. Kashgar 25.—H.E.A.L. Oostkerk.

FROM LONDON.

FROM LIVERPOOF.

15. -, F. & O.

24.—P. & O.

27.—G L.

27.-P. & O.

10.-P. & O.

14.--P. & O.

21.—P & O.

10.—P. & O.

21.—R. F.

27.-B. F.

10.—R. F.

13.—B. F.

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29:-B. F.

31.—B. F.

12.—B.F.

14.—B. F.

21.—P. F.

28.--B. F.

Feb. 27.—R. B.

Mar. 19. - R. B.

Mar. 2.—B. F.

Feb. 90.—E. A.

Mar. 12.-E. A.

Apr. 1 .- E.A.

May 2.-R. B.

May 5.-B. F.

Mar. 2 -B. F. 10.-B. F.

12.—G. L

Apr. 7.—P. & O.

Pembrokeshira

Sicilia.

Dongola.

Ok nluca.

Lahore.

Nankin.

Glenade:

Karmala.

Bangal Maru.

Agamemnon.

Polyphemius.

Deucalion.

Pyrthus.

Perseus.,

Eurylochus.

Automedon.

Havenstein.

Adolf von Bayer.

Atrens.

Mentor.

Glaucus.

Adrastus.

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Philoctetcs.

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PIRATES OF PENZANCE.

Mr. Charles Workman made his first appearance last night and received a cordial welcome at the hands of another packed audience in the Theatre Royal. He gave a very vigorous and at the same time subtle delineation of Major General Stanley. His "I'm a Major-General" with its rapid gatling like lines had to be repeated in addition to other numbers. Encores indeed were the order of the evening, the audience being in an Oliver, Twist mood, and very well pleased with itself and the fare provided.

Sullivan has added a sompcom o Grand satirical order—or rather the lines are, especially the one in which the Pirate King proves that in some astronomical or arithemetical way Frederic "the Slave of Duty" is but "about "five years old, having his birthdays in leap years, and therecannot leave the pirate which he has his indentures have been fulfilled and he comes to the age of 21 years. The Pirate King as Mr John Raleton presented it was a splendid piece of acting and singing and he had good support from his colleagues. Mr. Victor Prince as Sergeant of Police proved himself a popular exponent of the well-known fact that a police man's life is not a happy one. He was compelled to insist on that fact no less than four times.

Perhaps chief honours went to Miss Patti Russell, who has a wonderful voice of sweetness and range. Her rendering of "Poor Wand'ring One" was perfect and will live long in the memory. In her dusts with Mr. Charles Mettam, who played well the consecintions Frederic she was also consciently good. A word also it praise of Miss Christine Lorimer as Ruth-a contralto singer with a deeptoned voice

The chorus again was excellent, and the settings good whilst the Orchestra under Mr. Walter Hann left nothing to be desired. To-night "The Yeomen of the Guard" is to be

IRRIVALS.

Taiyuan, (B. & S.) from Melbourne, Manila.-Laichikok. Chicago Maru, (O. S. K.) from Yokohama, Moji.—A12. Angker, (M. M. Cie) from Yokohama, Shanghai.—Al.

City of Simls, (Bank Line) from Moorish Prince (Furners) from New York. Shanghai.—A3.

Taiszems, (Yan Fat) from Fort Bayard .-- Co's Wharf. Hafthor, (Lee Beng Kee) from Bangkok.-C42. Suwa Maru, (N: Y. K.) from London, Singapore.-Kowloon Whari. Ateuta, Maru, (NOT-Ka) from

Yokohama, Shanghai - Kowloon Wharf. Lok Sang, (J. M. & Co.) from Shanghai, Swatow.-- 033. Ming Sang, (J. M. & Co.) from Haiphong, Hollow.-C18. Tokei Maru, (Suzuki & Co.) from

Keelung.—B50. Milke Maru, (Lapique & Co) from Crafond.-Kowloon Wharf. President Jackson, (Admiral Line) from Manila. - Kowloon Wharf. . Abpittal, (Wai Hing & Co.) from Kwong Chow Wan, Macao, Co's

Whart. . : Nissei Maru, (Satola Co.) from Hongay.-C47. Pakhoi, (B. & S.) from Canton. Tientein, (B. & S.) from Canton. Off Stonecutters.

DEPARTURES.

Angkor, (M. M. Cie.) lor Marscilles, Haiphong.—February 13. Banka (J. Manners) for Bangkok. Bobrnary 14. City of Simla, (Bank Line) for Yokohams, Shangbai.—February 14.

Telemachus, (Wo Fat Sing) for Saigon. Fabruary 14. Suwa Maru, (N.Y.K) for Yokohama, Shanghai. Pebruary 14. Atsuta Maru, (N.Y.K.) for London, Singapore.—February.14. President Wilson, (Pacific Mail) for

San Francisco, Shanghai, February

Nieshu Maru, (Kwong Nguan Seng) for Bangkok. Pebruary 14. Tjikini, (J.O.J.A.), for Moji, Shangbai. Helmary 14. Hein kong, (O.M.S.N.) for Shanghai Bebruary 14. Chicago Maru, (O.S.K) for Buence. Aires, Baigon February 14.

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